THE EVENING NEWS.

SECOND YEAR—NO. 526. BENTON HARBOR, MICH., MONDAY, JUNE 14, 1897. ONE CENT.

BLEW OUT HIS BRAINS

Dan Parshall of Pipestone Township Kills Himself in his Own. House.

BORROWED A NEIGHBOR'S GUN.

Put on his Sunday Clothes, Entered his Parlor and Fired the Fatal Shot.

Saturday evening Dan Parshall, a farmer in Pipestone township, committed suicide by blowing out his brains, in fact, the entire top of his head with a revolver which he borrowed from a neighbor.

Parshall was about 40 years old. Saturday afternoon he was in Benton Harbor and seemed in usual health and spirits. He went home towards evening, shaved himself, put on his best clothes and then went to a neighbor's and borrowed a revolver. He returned home, entered the parlor of his own residence and almost instantly the report from a gun was heard and a portion of the man's scalp landed in another room. Death was instant.

Parshall was living with his second wife and he was her second husband and from all accounts it appears that their domestic relations were not of the happiest. No other cause is known for the rash act.

More Complete Particulars.

PIPESTONE, June 14—Daniel Parshall, living three miles north of here, committed suicide Saturday night by blowing the top of his head off with a shot gun. Domestic difficulties was the cause of the rash deed. Parshall went to Benton Harbor on Saturday morning and on returning home in the evening found a letter written by his wife saying that she did not not wish to live with him any longer. He asked his father to come over after supper, but when the latter arrived it was only to find the dead body of his son. Mr. Parshall was married to his present wife nearly two years ago. The funeral services were held at the M. E. church this morning at 10 o'clock.

If the hair is falling out and turning gray, the glands of the skin needs stimulating and color-food, and the best remedy and stimulant is Hall's Hair Renewer

We Lead Again...

Fresh Crushed Fruits Served Today

Come and Drink Soda That is Soda.

J. J. FABRY

110 Water St.

We are sole agents for the celebrated [illegible] Ice Cream

DEMOCRATIC VICTORY.

Party Out of Power Elects a Chairman for County Board.

The Berrien county board of supervisors met at the court house this afternoon and organized for business by electing Fred Tichenor of Niles chairman of the board.

As the board is composed of 16 republicans and 16 democrats a lively time in selecting a chairman was anticipated. It took only three ballots however to elect Mr. Tichenor democrat.

EXCURSIONISTS.

Seventeen Hundred in the Two Cities Yesterday.

The excursion season opened yesterday, and visitors were brought here over different lines as follows:

Big Four	700
West Michigan, from north	500
West Michigan, from south	200
Graham & Morton line	300
	1700

The boat season has scarcely opened and next Sunday if the heat continues the Graham & Morton boats will scarcely be able to carry the people who offer themselves for passage.

A WARM BLAZE.

Two Barns Destroyed by Fire Yesterday Afternoon.

Two barns belonging to R. M. Worden situated in the alley in the rear of East Main street and an adjoining barn owned by George Keltz and rented by Charles Antes were destroyed by fire yesterday afternoon about 6 o'clock.

Both buildings were wooden structures and at the time of the fire contained a quanity of hay besides three horses. The animals were rescued by the first arrivals on the scene breaking in the doors.

Surrounding the building were a number of barns and sheds and it was only by prompt action on the part of the firemen that more serious damage was not caused.

Mr. Worden had no insurance and his loss is estimated at between $500 and $600. Mr. Seltz was partially insured. Mr. Antes loss is only the value of a ton of hay.

Two minutes after the alarm was sounded J. Beil Hose company No. 1 had a stream of water on the buildings. Morton Hose company and Wide Awake Hose No. 2 were not far behind.

A BAD MAN.

The Officers Believe That He is in or About Benton Harbor.

John A. Bullis, sheriff of Newaygo county, was in the city yesterday in search of a man who is badly wanted in Newaygo county for committing robbery on the night of June 4. A man answering the fellow's description was seen here Saturday but he has disappeared and although every officer in the county has been furnished with a description of him it is safe to predict that he has made good his escape.

The story of his crime is brief. On the night of June 4 he, in company with a companion, entered the home of Mrs. James Ackley of Newaygo, and robbed her of between $300 and $400 in gold and greenbacks and then successfully made his escape from the vicinity. The officers were at once notified and in a few days word was received by the sheriff of Newaygo that one of the robbers had been found in the woods near the town of Bangor in a half dead condition. He confessed to his part of the crime and said that while he and his companion were going through the woods the fellow attacked him and believing him dead had robbed him of his share in the robbery and then left him.

Mrs. Ackley has offered a reward of $50 for his capture and the sheriff has offered a reward of $25 more.

Here is a description of the man: He was about forty years old; weight, 140 pounds; height, 5 ft. 7 in.; heavy light colored mustache, blue eyes, reddish hair; thin sharp features. Wore brown suit of clothes, brown slouch hat. Carries light colored hand satchel. Has with him several gold watches and some silverware and a number of rings; wears a ring with a diamond set; carries a silver watch with an engine engraved on back of case. When last seen he was going south near South Haven.

EXCURSION TO CHICAGO.

Methodist Ladies Will Give One June 21.

The ladies of the Methodist church have arranged for an excursion to Chicago, via the Graham & Morton line, to be given Monday, June 21, returning the following evening thus giving the entire day in the city for shopping. Don't forget this. 9t523

Van Twiller—Van Twiller.

Ask for a Katie Putnam cigar.

Old papers for sale at this office.

Smoke Columbia 5 cent cigar

It knocks a cold in one night. Ask for [illegible] [illegible]

LOTS OF BERRY MEN.

Buyers Here from St. Paul, Buffalo, Albany and Several Other Points.

A BIG SHIPMENT TONIGHT.

The Armour Refrigerator Men Making a Great Effort to Secure Shipments.

Benton Harbor will be alive with strawberry teams tonight. and buyers are on the ground from Buffalo, Minneapolis, Albany, Peoria and other cities in need of Michigan berries.

The Armour fruit growers express is loading a car at Stevensville today and expect to load two or three cars here tonight. They will receive advices from every leading city this afternoon and ship wherever the best market is quoted. This morning the ruling price at Minneapolis and St. Paul was $1.25 to $1.40 a crate, the expense of shipping there being 15 cents a case.

W. A. D. Rose was in close consultation with the foreign buyers all the forenoon.

By distributing the crop a little the growers see that they will secure better prices and it will result in a larger acreage of berries in this section.

The steamboats to Chicago and Milwaukee tonight will be loaded down with berries.

PLAY BALL

Benton Harbor Will Have a New Base Ball Park.

Arrangements are nearly completed which will give this city a first-class base ball park, grand stand and all modern improvements.

A piece of ground on the marsh between the two cities has been leased of Charles W. Hall for a period of five years and a subscription paper is now being circulated to raise the amount necessary to put the grounds in shape and erect a grand stand. Nearly $250 has already been raised and the transportation companies are yet to be seen. President Bean of the street car line has donated enough lumber to build half the fence.

With a good park Benton Harbor should have a nine that would rival the old Twin City club and then go after scalps in the vicinity of Buchanan and Hartford.

THE CLINTONIA.

In California, where great redwoods grow,
The tall clintonia stands—a stately sight,
Shedding in ferny ways its scarlet light—
A lily in red robes, as if to show
A life more royal than pale lilies know.
The brooding firs through winter's fog and gloom
Dream of the time when these bright torches bloom.
This flower of cheer was loved by great Thoreau
Through Maine's dark pines and lakeside greenery—
By our beloved Thoreau, ordained to be
A priest to lead us to God's temples grand,
Whereon the wonders of his skill are spent.
Fairest of these, the tall clintonias stand,
The altar candles of a continent.

—Lillian H. Shuey in Overland Monthly.

Talk It Over.

I have learned some things in the course of a long business life and still have a great many others to learn.

But the chief thing I have learned can be condensed into one nugget of wisdom in three words, Talk it over.

If thy business enemy offend thee, don't smite him on the cheek. Take him by the buttonhole in a friendly manner and talk it over.

Some one tells you that Smith, down the street, has said or done something to your detriment. Perhaps he has, and perhaps he has not. If he has, your best policy is to prevent his repeating his remark or deed in the future. If he has not, you don't want to do him an injustice, even in your own mind.

Put on your hat, leave your temper at home, go down and make a friendly call. Be neighborly, frank, open. Tell him the truth and ask him for equal frankness. Nine hundred and ninety-nine times out of a thousand the whole matter will be explained and straightened out in five minutes, and you will part as personal friends rather than as personal and business enemies. You will both feel better, you will live side by side in harmony; the earth will be brighter, the sunshine clearer, your own heart lighter and mankind take on a more friendly aspect. Don't get mad and rush to your desk and send a scorching letter; be a man and a Christian and go yourself.

Talk it over.—Hardware.

Unlucky.

Wife—My father used to say I was the brightest jewel he possessed.

Husband (growlingly)—Opal he must have meant, for you've brought me bad luck ever since I've had you.—Fun.

Smoke the best—Van Twiller's.

[illegible]

The Closing Out Sale

...STILL CONTINUES AT...

C. C. SWEET'S

THE BALANCE OF THIS WEEK I WILL OFFER

A good white unlaundried shirt at 29c
Marseilles white bed spreads at 69c
Ladies' linen dress skirts at $1.00
Men's handkerchiefs at 3c
$2.50 lace curtains at $1.75 | $1.50 lace curtains at 90c
2.00 lace curtains at 1.20 | 1.25 lace curtains at 80c
Sewing Machines at $15.00
Best Lowell extra super Carpets 47½c

This is the 65c novelty.

...TERMS CASH...

C. C. SWEET

131-133-135-137-139 Pipestone St.

E. W. MOORE & CO.

Are the Bargain Leaders All the Time.

Our Special Sales every day are public money savers. We have goods and prices to prove it.

Tuesday, June 15

We will Make Some

..Hot Prices on Summer Goods..

Lawn Dimity, 26 inch goods, at 4c a yd.
Lace Linen Skirting, 30 inch, at 22c a yd.
All Wool 27 inch Challies, at 42c a yd.
Satin Stripe Wool Challies, light colors, at 19c.
Dimity Waist Silks, 27 inch, at 39c a yd.
Ladies' long sleeve Jersey Vests at 15c.
Ladies' sleeveless Jersey Vests at 4c.
Ladies' sleeveless Jersey Vests at 8c.
Men's Summer Merino Shirts and Drawers at 20c each.

We will on this date offer 1,000 yds. all Silk, Satin and Gro Grain Ribbons in Nos. 7, 9, 12, 16 and 22, worth from 12c up to 25c per yd. Your choice of any color or width at the unprecedented price of 12c per yd.

Our Ladies' Muslin Underwear Sale will continue for a few days at the same cut prices.

...GROCERY BARGAINS...

Spring Wheat Flour, $4.00 per bbl.

Fine Shedded Cocoanut, 18c lb.
Fine ground black pepper, 14c lb.
Colo. Rio Coffee, 2 lbs. for 25c.
5lbs. Good Rice for 25c.
Micado Tea Tips, 19c a lb.
Crushed Java Coffee at 10c lb.

9 bars Jaxon soap for 25c.
Javaness coffee at 15c pkg
10 bars Calumet soap for 25c.
Bulk Starch, 3c a lb.
Pound can choice Baking Powder, 8c.

Ladies' or Gents' Bicycles at $29

Guaranteed for One Year.

THE ENTERPRISE

116 E. Main St. Benton Harbor

Call upon us for DRY GOODS and see if we don't load you up for very little money.

Millinery...Millinery

As it is our custom at this time of year to clean up for the season regardless of cost we make prices for the next 10 days at one-fourth off. This means 50 per cent less than you can buy the same goods elsewhere.

the prices off our Carpets and beginning Monday, June 14, we will place on sale all of our

Carpets and Mattings...

At Greatly Reduced Prices..

We will sell the best Extra Super Ingrain Carpet at 45c, regular 60c quality.

Other Ingrains at 45c, 37 1-2c, 30c and 20c.

Hemps at 13c.

Straw Mattings at 9c, 11c, 14c and 20c.

Everything included in this sale are guaranteed to be this year's stuff in new designs. No old designs which can be bought for a song, but extra good values.

...JAMES POUND

Our Trade Growing During the Hard Times.

While business is dull and many merchants have been forced to reduce expenses we have been compelled to double our store space. Reason: Our goods are fresh and the best and we never allow a customer to become dissatisfied.

Michael & Beeny,

328 Pipestone street. **The Grocers.**

Fred A. Hobbs, Pres. T. T. Hobbs, Vice Pres. Wm. H. Poundstone, Sec

BENTON FUEL COMPANY

DEALERS IN

Fuel, Flour, Salt.

Office, Graham & Morton Building.
Yards, Highland Avenue.
Telephone, 24-4.
Benton Harbor, Mich.

FRED A. HOBBS, AGENT,
MICHIGAN SALT ASSOCIATION
WASHBURN CROSBY FLOUR.

COMING SURE, COMING

NO DISAPPOINTMENT.

Benton Harbor ONE DAY ONLY... OAK and EIGHTH STS.

TUESDAY, JUNE 22

THE BIG 25 CENT SHOW OF THIS CONTINENT!

..THE GREAT..

Reichhold Railroad Shows

2-RING CIRCUS-2

Largest, Grandest, Best Amusement Institution in the World.

You Must Not Miss It.

Monster Museum,
Roman Hippodrome,
Wild West Show,
BASTO, The Largest Living Gorilla Baby.

One 25c Ticket Admits to All.

GYPSUM Still Alive, The Largest Captive Trained Elephant.

BLOOD-SWEATING HIPPOPOTAMUS.

100 STAR Performers, Riders, Acrobats, Athletes, Contortionists, Aerialists. STAR 100

2--Performances Daily, RAIN OR SHINE--2

Colossal Glittering Street Parade About 11 A. M.

I SHAKE THE TREE AND YOU GATHER THE FRUIT...

Patterson Progressive Printer..

PHONE 112-1

PRINTING—THAT'S MY BUSINESS AND I KNOW HOW TO MIND MY OWN BUSINESS

114 Water Street, Ground Floor

ONLY JOB PRINTER IN THE CITY...

BENTON HARBOR, MICH.

Keep Hammering

By advertising your goods in The Evening News. [illegible]

President and Party Leave Nashville for Washington.

STOP AT CHATTANOOGA EN ROUTE,

And Will Also Visit Asheville in the Old North State—Some of the Tourists Visit the Historic Fields of Battle with Grosvenor for Guide—Some Remarks on the Situation as to Who Shall Fill the Spanish Mission.

Chattanooga, Tenn., June 14.—After a week of travel, sight-seeing, speech-making and social duties, somewhat onerous though pleasant in performance, President McKinley, Mrs. McKinley, and the more immediate official staff, had a Sunday of restfulness here yesterday. An immense crowd collected at the Union station at Nashville to witness the departure of the presidential party, and to speed the parting guests. The enthusiasm was marked and as the train pulled out the president appeared on the rear platform and amid the cheers of the multitude bowed to the assembled hundreds until the station shed was left behind. The run to this city was made very slowly in order that the president and his wife would not be disturbed.

Attends a Methodist Church.

They breakfasted in their car and immediately, much to the regret of many prominent citizens who wished to meet the chief executive in the morning, drove to the residence of Hon. H. Clay Evans, United States commissioner of pensions. At 10:30 o'clock the president went to the First Methodist church. Mrs. McKinley did not accompany him. At the close of the services the president returned to Evans' home, where he quietly rested until about 5 o'clock, when Mesdames McKinley and Evans, the president and the commissioner, drove to Orchard Knob, one of the crucial points in the battle of Missionary Ridge. They returned in time for dinner, after which the president gave a short reception in the Read House, which commenced at 7:30 p. m. At 8 o'clock the president went to the house of Captain H. S. Chamberlain, a personal friend, where he remained a short time, afterwards going again to Commissioner Evans' home, whence he escorted Mrs. McKinley to the train.

Off for Asheville, North Carolina.

Secretary Sherman did not attend divine service, but remained with his daughter at the residence of W. M. Lasley, whose wife is a relative of the Sherman family. Sherman's daughter, Mrs. McCullom, was affected by the heat in Nashville last Friday and was not well. Secretaries Alger and Wilson attended the Second Presbyterian church. The presidential train pulled out between 10 and 11 o'clock and went three miles to Sherman's Hills, where it remained until the schedule time for leaving, the purpose being to avoid the heat of the city. The special train left Sherman's Hills at 2:15 a. m. for Asheville, N. C., where today will be spent.

AS TO THAT SPANISH MISSION.

Situation Rather Embarrassing and an Unknown May Be Appointed.

There is absolutely nothing new to say in regard to the Spanish mission, and as this in a great measure includes the Cuban question no policy on the latter question can be given. A gentleman close to the administration said: "The question of the Cuban policy occupies the president day and night. The situation is an embarrassing one, though not an unusual one. I think I am fully justified in saying that the offer of the mission has not been officially made to any one. Therefore to say that General Cox or any one else has declined it is not true. Of course you know that Mr. Dawes, of Chicago, brought word from General Cox that he was busy writing reminiscences, or rather a history of his connection with the war, and for that and other reasons was not willing to go. Here lies the embarrassment:

"First-class men, properly qualified and eminently fitted for this most important post, do not care to appear in the light of an ulterior choice. The president feels that it is as much the duty of the patriot to accept service to prevent war as it is to enter an army for the prosecution of one. There is a possibility that Mr. McKinley will decide to select some gentleman who, well known in his section and to the appointing power as a proper man man to succeed Minister Taylor, is not as well known to the people or the politicians as the gentlemen whose names have been suggested in connection with this mission."

Secretary to the President Porter and many of the presidential guests, together with a large representation from the newspaper men, left at 9:40 by rail for Chickamauga Park, stopping at Lytle Hill, where a number of conveyances were in readiness to take the party over the historic ground. The party was fortunate in having as cicerones General Charles Grosvenor, of Ohio, and General J. T. Wilder, of Johnson City, Tenn. Both of these gentlemen bore distinguished parts in the battle of Chickamauga, and the other conflicts which make Chattanooga and its environs so great a factor in the historic civil war. Among the others were Colonel Xenophen Wheeler, General Willard Warner and Colonel H. B. Case. When Snodgrass Hill was reached the party alighted and General Grosvenor, in a brief and graphic address, described the events of the afternoon of that fateful Sunday. Returning to the city Lookout mountain was visited and a delightful afternoon was spent on that elevated plateau.

Sultan Makes an Appeal for Earth.

London, June 14.—The Times correspondent at Constantinople says: The sultan has appealed to Emperor Nicholas and Emperor William to support his claim to annex Thessaly to the Ottoman empire. This proceeding highly displeases the ambassadors of the other powers, who are expected to mark their displeasure by refusing to negotiate the other points in Turkey's demand until the evacuation demand is settled.

Rivera Sentenced to Death.

New York, June 14.—A dispatch from Havana says: The secret court-martial of General Rius Rivera and Colonel Bacallo, the insurgent chiefs captured in Pinar del Rio, was closed at Cabana [illegible]

Feud Between Two Southern Illinois Politicians.

MAYOR OF A TOWN FATALLY SHOT,

The Shooter Being the Editor of the Town Paper—Bunker Hill the Scene of the Tragedy—Homicide Rushed Out of Town "to Prevent Mob Violence," as Usual—Will Plead That He Shot in Self-Defense—Out on $2,000 Bail.

Bunker Hill, Ills., June 14.—John R. Richards, millionaire and mayor of this city, was shot and fatally wounded at noon Saturday by Captain F. Y. Hedley, editor of the Bunker Hill Gazette. He died six hours later. The shooting was the result of a political feud. Macoupin county is excited from one end to the other by the tragedy. Only the popularity of Captain Hedley prevented a lynching. Feeling is running high, and the prominence of both men has aroused intense partisan feeling. Lynch talk was freely indulged in by the friends of the murdered man. Editor Hedley is in jail at Carlinville, about forty miles north of here. He surrendered himself immediately after the shooting.

Words That Disgrace Illinois.

He was at once taken to that city to await the result of the wounds he had inflicted and to prevent mob violence, which was feared by the authorities in case of a fatal termination.

Both the murdered man and the editor have long been leaders in southern Illinois politics, and their reputations have extended beyond the borders of the state. Mayor Richards was one of the most popular men in the county, being widely known for his philanthropic deeds. He was elected mayor last spring on the Republican ticket, receiving the indorsement of the regular Democratic convention. He lived in a handsome residence, and on his estate had built an electric light and water works plant, with which he supplied the city with light and water free of charge. He was 66 years of age and a bachelor.

Had Long Been Political Enemies.

Captain Hedley has a national reputation. He was an intimate friend of the late Walter Q. Gresham, and has of late been engaged by the relatives of the former secretary of state in writing a book of personal memoirs. He served all through the war of the rebellion with Gresham. The men were political enemies of year's standing. They met at noon Saturday on one of the principal streets. There were a score or more of eye-witnesses to the shooting, but none who heard the words that passed between them before the editor drew his revolver and fired two shots at the mayor. The first shot inflicted a smal flesh wound in the right arm. The second entered the right side, passed through the right lung, and lodged in the spine.

Weight Doesn't Count Against a Gun.

Richards was a giant physically. The man who killed him is a pigmy. The murdered man weighed 250 pounds and his assailant tips the beam at barely 140 pounds. After their meeting on the street blows were exchanged. Richards struck at Hedley and it is claimed made a move to draw a pistol when Hedley whipped out his revolver and fired the two shots. The local physicians pronounced the wound fatal, but a special train was sent to St. Louis for Dr. Mudd, who made the run here, thirty-seven miles, in thirty-three minutes, only to agree with the local doctors.

Painful Eruptions

Continued to Spread and Discharge Until Blood Was Purified by Hood's Sarsaparilla.

"My sister was afflicted with eruptions around her ears which kept getting worse and spreading until they became very painful. The sores would discharge and were exceedingly disagreeable. We made up our minds we must do something for her and we procured a bottle of Hood's Sarsaparilla. She continued taking it until she was entirely cured." NADIA DUNNING, Concord, Wisconsin.

"After having tumors removed I was very weak. I had a headache all the time and a dreadful tired feeling. My daughter urged me to take Hood's Sarsaparilla and I did so, and after taking three bottles I was relieved of these troubles." E. V. ASTLE, Merrimack, Wisconsin.

Hood's Sarsaparilla

Is the best—in fact the One True Blood Purifier. Sold by all druggists. $1; six for $5.

Hood's Pills are prompt, efficient and easy in effect. 25 cents.

THE VANDALIA.

Lake Chautauqua Excursion.

On account of meeting of the Photographers' Association of America, the Vandalia Line will sell tickets July 11 and 12 to Lakewood or Jamestown, N. Y., at one first class limited fare for the round trip. For rates and full information call on or address,

FRANK R. HALE, Agent,
St. Joseph, Mich.

Pittsburg, Pa., Excursion.

Account meeting of the Junior Order United Mechanics' National Council, the Vandalia Line will sell tickets June 12, 13, and 14 to Pittsburg and return at one fare for the round trip. For rates and full information, call on or address FRANK R. HALE, Agent,
St. Joseph, Mich.

The Vandalia line will sell tickets to Nashville, Tenn., and return at very low rates on account of the Tennessee Centennial and International Exposition. Choice of routes and quick time For full information call on or address

FRANK R. HALE, Agent,
St. Joseph, Mich.

Man Wanted

To represent the Singer Manufacturing company in and around Benton Harbor to sell Singer sewing machines and collect money. No capital or experience necessary as we furnish machines and learn you how to sell. A [illegible]

"My daughter was troubled with scrofula, her neck being covered with sores, and her eyes so badly affected that she was nearly blind. When all other remedies failed we tried Ayer's Sarsaparilla, which resulted in a complete cure."—J. P. FREETO.

It will cure you too.

DR. J. C. AYER'S
SARSAPARILLA

The best remedy for all diseases arising from impurities of the blood.

Its record: 50 years of cures.

The only Sarsaparilla permitted to be exhibited at the World's Fair of 1893.

FLIES! FLIES!

...COMING...

ORDER AT ONCE YOUR

DOOR

...AND...

WINDOW SCREENS

ANY SIZE AND STYLE
TO SUIT PURCHASER.

S. C. ZOMBRO,

TRUSTEE.

OFFICE: NORTH SIDE CANAL,
BENTON HARBOR,
MICH.

A. A. COVELL ESTIMATOR.

MORE LIGHT For LESS MONEY

Suits all the people all the time. We have it on exhibition at our store

THE NATIONAL INCANDESCENT BURNERS

are the best for everybody who burns gas.

Our Specialties Are

Plumbing of all kinds. Gas Fitting, Sewerage, Steam Fitting and Supplies Gas fixtures of every kind. Good work, Fair prices and Quick service. Would be pleased to see you.

B. L. HALL,

126 Pipestone St. - Telephone 79-11.

One Cent a Day.

THE EVENING NEWS

25 Cents a Month.

WEAK MEN CURED, BY NERVE DROPS.
It Makes Life Worth Living

This great remedy CURES all Nervous Diseases, such as Weak Memory, Loss of Brain Power, LOST MANHOOD, Nightly Emissions, Evil Dreams; and strengthens the Generative Organs of either sex, that may be impaired through youthful errors, which soon lead to Consumption and INSANITY. Sold with a guarantee to cure, or money refunded. $1 per box, six for $5. Easily carried in vest pocket. Write us for FREE BOOK and TESTIMONIALS. Ask our Druggists for them; take no other.—Or address

NERVE DROP CO., GRAND RAPIDS, MICH.
J. A. Sheffield & Son, Benton Harbor, Mich

BLOOD POISON

A SPECIALTY Primary, Secondary or Tertiary BLOOD POISON permanently cured in 15 to 35 days. You can be treated at home for same price under same guaranty. If you prefer to come here we will contract to pay railroad fare and hotel bills, and no charge, if we fail to cure. If you have taken mercury, [illegible]

THE EVENING NEWS.

SECOND YEAR—NO. 526. BENTON HARBOR, MICH., MONDAY, JUNE 14, 1897. ONE CENT.

WAS CHILDREN'S DAY.

Many of the City Churches Celebrated the Annual Festival With Appropriate Fxercises.

DECORATIONS WERE SUPERB.

A Fountain Added to the Beauty of The Scene at the First Baptist Church.

The glorious festival of Children's day was celebrated at the Baptist, Congregational, Methodist and Presbyterian churches Sunday with appropriate exercises. It was in fact the first summer day of the year and that fact added to the pleasure of the day. Rare flowers and plants and artistic decorations were every where in evidence and the programs were well arranged and beautifully executed.

Presbyterian Exercises.

Children's day at the Presbyterian church was properly observed yesterday morning, the church being crowded. The decorations were very neat but not oppressive. E. E. Rouse superintendent of the Sunday school had charge of the program which consisted of solos, choruses and recitations. Rev. Hoffman closed the exercises with appropriate remarks upon Children's day.

In the evening there were special services the pastor delivering a fine address from a painting which represented Christ surrounded by children.

At the Methodist Church.

As usual the Methodist church outdid all previous efforts in its observance of Children's day last evening. The church was beautifully decorated with potted plants and cut flowers For many weeks Mrs. C. K. Hendrx and Mrs. J. N. Reed have been drilling the little folks of the Sunday school in a cantata entitled "Children's Day" and the manner in which it was presented last evening proves how thorough have been their work. "Children's Day" was represented by Marie Torrance who displayed remarkable skill in remembering her song and difficult part. Master Herbert Sears delivered a recitation which completely captivated the congregation and he was given a handsome boquet. The solos, duets and choruses were exceptionally fine.

Congregational Church.

The entire program at this church, with the exception of an anthem by the choir, was rendered by the little folks and was greatly enjoyed by all present. Much praise is due Mrs. Brooks for her untiring effort in training the children for yesterday's exercises.

Four little ones received the rite of baptism. The church was beautifully decorated with potted plants and cut flowers.

At the Baptist Church.

The decorations at the First Baptist church were somewhat out of the ordinary. On the pulpit platform was a fountain surrounded by ferns and flowers and the running water added a pretty melody to the music and the voice of the children. The program was entirely carried out by the little ones. The pastor only made a short prayer and gave the church announcements. The superintendent, John Higman jr., took the place of usher and saw to it that every child had a seat where the exercises could be easily witnessed. The singing and the marching of the children showing great training and unusual ability on the part of the school. Little Miss Nina Rapp again proved that she possessed remarkable talent as a soloist. Miss Pearl Finch was the only grown person to appear on the program. She explained what the collection was for and did it so graciously and interestingly that everyone who could gave and those who could not wished they were able to swell the collection which will be used to spread the gospel in our own country.

PATRICK BURKE DEAD.

An Exemplary Young Man Living Near the City.

Patrick Burke died at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Burke, two and a half miles east of this city yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock after a short illness of throat trouble.

Deceased was an exemplary young man, 18 years old and a favorite among his young friends by whom he will be greatly missed. The funeral will occur at St. John's church Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock, leaving the house at 8.30.

THE NILES DISTRICT

One Presiding Elder May Do More Work.

Niles Sun: At the coming Michigan annual conference, which convenes this fall at Kalamazoo, will be considered the advisability of changing the number of districts. Instead of nine there is an effort on foot to cut the number to seven. In case this is done, Coldwater and Ionia districts may be dropped while Niles district with the remaining six will be enlarged. Presiding Elder Rev. J. W. H. Carlisle is collecting data over the Niles district and conferring with the pastors at various points relative to these proposed changes.

JOKE ON PINGREE.

The Reform Governor Took It Very Kindly.

The Shriners played a practical joke on Gov. Pingree last week. Potentate Paris, who dearly loves a joke, received an inspiration. Obtaining a large book, which was marked "Autographs" on the outside, and assuming a humble, sober expression he approached his excellency. "Mr. Pingree," he said. "I have heard a great deal about you and read more. Your good nature is a subject of universal remark or I would not dare to approach you in this manner. I have a mania for collecting autographs. Would it be asking too much if I should request your autograph." A crowd of fezzed personages had got the scent of something and were casting mysterious glances at each other in the vicinity of the ex-mayor. "It is for me to thank you," declared Mr. Pingree, graciously accepting the volume at the same time reaching for his fountain pen. An ominous hush fell over the group. Suddenly there was a flash and a loud report. The autograph album had gone off like a firecracker. "By the great head waters of the Nile!" shouted the governor, amid great laughter. It took only a moment for him to recover his self-possession, and in a second more he was laughing with the crowd.

"I wish to say that I use and recommend one, and only one, baking powder, and that is Cleveland's."

MARION HARLAND,
Author "Common Sense in the Household."

Guarantee.

Grocers are authorized to give back your money if you do not find Cleveland's the best baking powder you have ever used.

728 Cleveland Baking Powder Co., N.Y.

KILLED BY A HORSE.

Earl Carlton of Royalton Dies After Much Suffering.

Earl Carlton, a Royalton farmer, was kicked Saturday by a vicious horse and died from the effects Sunday, after much suffering.

Saturday Mr. Carlton was cleaning off the horse and the brute acted so mean that the owner gave him a blow from a whip. No sooner was this done than the horse kicked the man in the abdomen and gave him injuries from which he died.

Dr. John Bell was called and made examination. He believes that the man's liver was ruptured. Mr. Carlton leaves a wife and two children. He was about 35 years old.

ABOUT THE COUNTY.

Fairplain

FAIRPLAIN, June 14—Mrs. Wibber and daughter of Friendship, Wisconsin, and Mrs. Banker of Western Springs are guests at Mr. D. Vaughn's.

Mr. and Mrs. Young returned home Sunday morning from their wedding trip.

The social given by the young ladies of the grange, was a success. The band played for the occasion.

Van Twiller, 10c cigar sold for 5c.

PLEA WILL BE SELF-DEFENSE.

The So-Frequent Woman Alleged to Have Been in This Case Also.

Carlinville, Ills., June 14.—Captain Hedley reached this city from Bunker Hill at 4 o'clock Saturday afternoon, and was immediately taken to the sheriff's office. Many friends were present, who offered to go on his bond for any amount. He placed himself in charge of his counsel, ex-Representative John Rinaker. The preliminary charge was heard before Justice Alva Cloud and bond fixed at $2,000. A message came from Bunker Hill at 6:10 o'clock announcing Mayor Richards' death. Captain Hedley is in the city in charge of the sheriff and his counsel, but his whereabouts is kept secret. Rumors of an attempted lynching by Bunker Hill friends of Mayor Richards reached here, but are not believed by leading men.

The plea is self-defense, and Captain Hedley's counsel said that under the circumstances any other course would have been impossible. The trouble, according to reports here, has been of long standing. Both were Republicans, and the leaders of separate factions. Their differences during the last campaign were partly patched up through the intervention of friends, who induced them to sign an agreement containing certain stipulations, one of which was that they should speak to each other in public. At the spring municipal election Richards was a candidate for mayor. Captain Hedley also desired the nomination, and so announced in his paper. After powerful pressure he was induced by Richards' friends to withdraw, doing so reluctantly.

After the election the situation between the men became very strained, and at noon Saturday, while going home to dinner they met, whereupon Mayor Richards demanded:

"Hedley, why don't you speak to me according to our agreement?'

"I'll speak to you when you speak to me first," was the reply.

Mayor Richards, it is said, then assaulted Hedley, knocking him down. As he arose, it is further asserted, Richards picked up a spade, when the editor whipped out a revolver.

"Shoot, you coward: I dare you to shoot," it is said was tauntingly remarked by Mayor Richards, as he moved forward, when Captain Hedley shot twice in succession.

Although general belief is expressed in the theory that the fatal encounter was the outcome of this political feud, many insist a woman is at the bottom of the trouble. Although 66 years old, it is said that Mayor Richards wished to marry his stenographer, Ella Brown. It is alleged that he accused Captain Hedley of preventing the marriage, and assaulted him three times within six months. When another assault was attempted Saturday Captain Hedley's friends say he was armed in anticipation of it.

The Lemars (Ia.) shoe factory burned yesterday. Loss, about $50,000; insurance, $30,000.

EXCURSION TO CHICAGO.

Methodist Ladies Will Give One June 21.

The ladies of the Methodist church have arranged for an excursion to Chicago, via the Graham & Morton line, to be given Monday, June 21, returning the following evening thus giving the entire day in the city for shopping. Don't forget this. 9t523

Van Twiller—Van Twiller.

Spray Your Trees.

A good fruit crop only is secured by spraying your trees. Now is the time. W. F. Kimball will spray one tree or a large orchard. Leave orders at A. H. Rowe's grocery store. 504 tf

Ask for a Katie Putnam cigar.

How About Your Feet?

Dr. E. A. Gifford, chiropodist, removes corns, bunions, ingrown nails etc., positively without pain. The boot or shoe can be worn at once with ease and comfort. Sole proprietor of Gifford's Magic Foot Powder. It cures painful, swollen, smarting feet. It's the greatest discovery of the age. It makes tight fitting or new shoes feel easy. A certain cure for sweating, callous and hot, tired feet. Stops excessive prespiration under the arm pits, cures chaffed spots etc. Price 25 cents. For sale at the office and at Holland's drug store, St. Joseph. Office opposite postoffice. Office hours 8 a. m. to 8 p. m. daily except Sunday. Sundays with Dr. Scott, State street St. Joseph. Consultation and examination free. Price reasonable. tf524

Bird, agent for Van Twiller.

Bargain in Land

Ten acres of good land as level as the house floor. Within five minutes walk of the electric street railway. One-half set to all kinds of fruit. This property will next be required for city lots and will make just 50 good-sized lots. At the low price of $200 each will equal $10,000 and if taken at once will take $5,000.

JAMES McDONALD.
tf519

Van Twiller better than the best.

Bargains for You.

One refrigerator, 1 copying press and stand, 1 marine glass, 2 large bunting flags, 1 daylight kodak, 1 electric fan which revolves 16,000 times a minute; all about new, at one-half their value. Inquire at Bon Bon Candy store.

We have given John Schairer the agency in Benton Harbor for our Barley Malt Whiskey. Distilled from malted barley. It is rich and nutritious, and free from all impurity. For the sick [illegible]

Refrigerators

$8.00 Refrigerator for $6.00
10.00 " " 7.50
13.00 " " 9.00

OUR GREAT BARGAIN.

15.00 " " 10.00

ANOTHER BARGAIN.

The National Gasoline Stoves,
The Eclipse Steel Ranges,
The Eclipse Cook Stoves,
And Our New Wheel at $32.00.

CHESTER C. SWEET
139 Pipestone street

The Benton Harbor
Hardware Company

Are giving low prices on TINWARE this week. Also on PAINTS, every gallon warranted.

Just received a shipment of

Red Cross Stoves and Ranges...

Which will be set up in a few days,

Anything in our line will be sold to you at right prices. You are respectfully invited to call.

Yours to serve,

The Benton Harbor Hardware Co.
126 Pipestone Street.

A Wonder of the Age.

A PROBLEM FOR THE MEDICAL FRATERNITY THE LAST QUARTER CENTURY.

SOLVED AT LAST BY

Dr. D. P. ORDWAY

After 15 Years' Hard Application.

The invention of the Dr. Ordway plaster is a God-send to humanity. The Ordway plaster actually absorbs the deleterious matter from the flesh without irritating the skin, and actually cures the most chronic cases of Rheumatism, Heart, Lung, Liver and Stomach Trouble, Gout, Pleurisy, Lumbago, Headache, Kidney Trouble and Female weakness.

If You Need Any of the Plasters
...CALL AT...
LOWE & ROUSE'S
PHAMACISTS
Prices 25c or a full treatment for $2.50.

"Prove all things and hold fast to that which is good."

A Word to the Wise is Sufficient.

The following persons will gladly answer any inquiry concerning their experience with the Ordway Plaster: Dr. Geo. Dale, Iola, T. E. Cass, Marshfield; Dr. A. H. Guernsey, Amherst; Darius Braze, Eau Claire; A. B. Millard Antigo; Capt. Thos. L. Pollok, National Soldiers' Home, Milwaukee; Dr. W. Towns, Fond du Lac; Dr. J. Barber, Galesville; Geo. Scott, Oshkosh; all in Wisconsin.

We have often cured the most stubborn cases with one treatment, or one dozen Plasters, which costs you only $2.50.

LOWE & ROUSE

[illegible]

AS A FAMILY BEVERAGE

Blatz The STAR Milwaukee Beer

OCCUPIES A MOST PROMINENT POSITION.

Wives and mothers are quick to discern its unusual benefits to digestion [illegible]

[illegible]

Entered at the postoffice at Benton Harbor as second class matter.

SUBSCRIPTION RATES:

Delivered in Benton Harbor or St. Joseph.

One year,	$3 00
One month,	25
One week,	6

By Mail—One year, $2,50 in advance; one month, 25 cents.

The Weekly News, - - - - $1.00 a year

TELEPHONE 118-1.

MONDAY, JUNE 14, 1897.

THE WEATHER.

Generally fair and warmer.

THE only way to keep comfortable these days is to live on one of the Graham & Morton palace steamers.

THE Buss factory will never be started unless some one takes time to organize and push the enterprise. It is certain that $10,000 can be raised among the working people to start the wheels in motion again.

THERE are lots of chaps who know how to run this government, but they never get to Washington. There was a crowd of people at the Sunday afternoon fire who knew just how the fire ought to be managed, but probably they never saw a fire before.

IF Mr. Parshall wanted to kill himself, perhaps he possessed that right, but he had no right to spoil the parlor and make people afraid to live in his house for fear of seeing his wandering ghost. Suicides do not care for themselves but they ought to regard the public a little.

TWO thousand people rushed to the fire Sunday afternoon. These people averaged a distance of half a mile in going and coming, an equivalent of one person walking a thousand miles or the distance from Benton Harbor to Washington to see a couple of old barns partially destroyed.

NEWS OF THE STATE.

Modern Woodmen at Three Oaks have commenced the construction of a large hall to be used by the local camps

Jackson county has advertised for bids for building its $15,000 court house which is to be completed by September 6, when the next term of the circuit court convenes.

Senator Burrows has written a letter to Vicksburg to the effect that he is willing the postoffice contest shall be submitted to a vote of the republican patrons of the office, and some of the candidates are talking of calling an election for that purpose, while other aspirants for the plum are opposed to the project.

The depositors of the defunct Citizens bank at Edwardsburg, Cass Co., will resort to litigation to collect claims against stockholders growing out of the defalcation of the cashier, Kleckner, whose shortage reached $11,000. A settlement was made with Kleckner for an amount equal to about one-half of his defalcation, the bank's depositors suffering in consequence.

The citizens of Belding met in mass meeting and passed resolutions asking congress at once to pass a protection tariff law and thus restore prosperity. The resolution was wired to Washington and the republican senators answered that they were solidly voting together and that the cause of the continued hard times was due to the democratic senators. They assured the Belding people however, that Appomattox was in sight.

POCKETS.

Thirty of Them Made In a Pair of Breeches of the Year 1611.

Perhaps the best proof of the advance of the Japanese in civilization is to be found in their use of pockets. The people of that country have usually six or eight pockets cunningly inserted in the cuffs of their wide sleeves. These pockets are always filled with a curious miscellany. As common as the twine in the pockets of young Americans is the prayer amulet written on sheets of rice paper and composed by the bonzes. In accordance with their faith, these amulets are swallowed like a pill in cases of mental or physical distress. Another essential seldom missing is a number of small squares of silky paper. These are put to unexpected uses, such as to hold the stem of a lily or lotus, to dry a teacup or to wipe away a tear. Among the Chinese and other nations a pouch is used instead of a pocket. This was also the case in western Europe in the middle ages and for some time afterward. The pouch was attached to the girdle, along with a dagger and rosary. It was called an aulmoniere or gipciere. It was often ornamented with curious patterns, gold and silk threads, coats of arms and religions sentences. A dramatist of the time of Henry VIII wrote:

> From my girdle he plucked my pouch;
> By your leave he left me never a penny.

Breeches, however, had pockets at an early date. In an old play written about 1611 it is mentioned that a man had his breeches plaited as if they had 30 pockets. But pockets did not attain their proper position until the adoption of the modern style of men's garments. With waistcoats a great opportunity for pockets presented itself. Later they were made very broad and deep and were covered with embroidery and buttons. In the reign of George III waistcoat pockets reached such size in England that they became objects of ridicule, so that they soon began to resume more [illegible]—New York Post.

is a Five Dollar William"

Don't you believe it just look at this chair...

Solid Oak

$5.00

PER SET

How quick we will jump for a chance to receive it.

And lay it away with both caution and care.

Yours, etc.,

C. J. PECK..

Great Annual Crockery Sale

AT J. C. CALKINS'

For the next thirty days, in order to reduce our large stock we will sell Crockery at cost.

J. C. CALKINS,

154½ Pipestone street.

Baby Bliss..

Weighs 528 lbs.
Stands 6 ft. 5 1-2 in.

But he rides an

..America

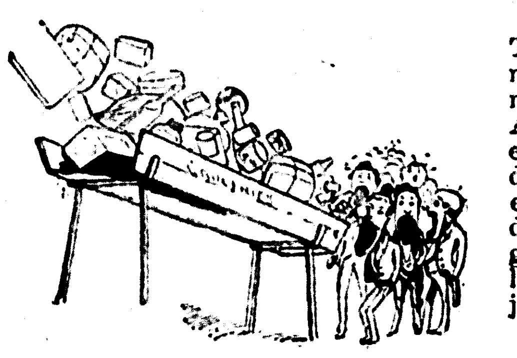
Truss Frame

For sale by

W. C. HOVEY

155-157 Pipestone St.,
Benton Harbor, Mich.

IN EVERYBODY'S MOUTH



That's a fact. Our groceries are mouthed handsomely because they are more than good enough to be eaten. Anything that is good enough to be eaten must be first-class. It's a hundred to one that if we carry it it's gilt-edged. That's our rule, and we never deviate from it by a hair. It's our high grade goods that win us the table, our low prices that are the housekeepers' joy—the fatteners of pocketbooks.

Do You Want a Set of Dishes?

We have the right kind at the right price. We carry the largest stock, the finest and most up-to-date dishes in the city. We import our Crockery direct, buy in large quantities, are satisfied with small profits and are here to please. Note a few of our prices.

100 piece dinner sets,	from $5.00 to $16.00
Chamber sets,	from $1.50 to $9.00
56 piece tea sets,	from $3.50 to $4.50
4 piece glass sets,	from 25c to 75c
7 piece berry sets,	25c
Water sets,	from 50c to $2.00

A full line of Delft ware 10c apiece.

Fancy cups and saucers, vases, water bottles, cut glass, cuspidores, lamps, individual sugars and creams, etc., at prices that will surprise you.

If you want good clean groceries at low prices give us a call. If you want slop and dirt, don't.

JOHN T. OWENS

Next to the Post-Office.

WE HAVE MOVED

...TO 163 PIPESTONE STREET

FULL LINE OF

GROCERIES, FRUITS, ETC.

CALL IN AND SEE US...

RUSCH & HARTLERODE...

RIDE A

CLIPPER ..BICYCLE

A STRICTLY
HIGH GRADE WHEEL

QUICK MEAL
GASOLINE STOVES

THE CLEVELAND
...REFRIGERATORS

PAINTS AND OILS...

W. H. BAKER...

124 PIPESTONE ST.

ECONOMY IN IT!

OUR SPRING
GOODS
ARE NOW IN.

You want to economize. Let us help you. Buy a spring suit made to your measure and made to your exact fit. It may cost a couple dollars more but it will outlast and outlook three suits made from a dummy's measure. Buy clothes made for yourself and look "dressed up."

SUITS $15
AND UP
PANTS $4 UP.

H. A. FOELTZER,

[illegible]

May be Secured.

It knocks a cold in one night. Ask for Nox-a-Kold at Bird's drug store. Satisfaction guaranteed. Price 25 cents.

Pro Patria, a gentleman's smoke; 10. cigar for 5c. Beware of imitations See that your cigar is stamped Pro Patria. Geo. Moebs & Co., manufacturers, Detroit.

It knocks a cold in one night. Ask for Nox-a-Kold at Bird's drug store. Satisfaction guaranteed. Price 25 cents.

It knocks a cold in one night. Ask for Nox-a-Kold at Bird's drug store. Satisfaction guaranteed. Price 25 cents.

Use Dr. Haas' hog remedy for hogs and poultry. Satisfaction guaranteed. For sale at Dr. Fabry's drugstore, 110 Water street.

It knocks a cold in one night. Ask for Nox-a-Kold at Bird's drug store. Satisfaction guaranteed. Price 25 cents.

George F. Grant, Coloma, sells the Katie Putnam cigar. 502t26

It knocks a cold in one night. Ask for Nox-a-Kold at Bird's drug store. Satisfaction guaranteed. Price 25 cents.

Card to Ladies.

Madam J. DeCanter does hairdressing, shampooing, manicuring and facial massage. No extra charge for going to the house. Switches made to order. Call at Chadwick & Rehm's. 495t26

Relief in Six Hours

Distressing Kidney and Bladder diseases relieved in six hours by the "New South American Kidney Cure." This new remedy is a great surprise on account of its exceeding promptness in relieving pain in the bladder, kidneys, back and every part of the urinary passages in male or female. It relieves retention of water and pain in passing it almost immediately. If you want quick relief and cure this is your remedy. Sold by G. M. Bell & Co., 103 Main street, Druggist, Benton Harbor, Mich.

It knocks a cold in one night. Ask for Nox-a-Kold at Bird's drug store. Satisfaction guaranteed Price 25 cents

Smoke Columbia 5 cent cigar.

"The Lake View" Lake Maxinkuckee.

This hotel reopens on strictly first class basis, June 7. New management, improved service, appointments thoroughly modern. Accomodations will be reserved upon application to J. B. Schofield, manager, Lake View hotel, Culver, Ind.

Nate Gifford for fine rigs.

It knocks a cold in one night. Ask for Nox-a-Kold at Bird's drug store. Satisfaction guaranteed. Price 25 cents.

Ask for Columbia 5 cent cigar.

Have You Thought?

Did you ever stop and think of the advantage yon have by buying your boots and shoes of Joseph Frick? He carries a complete line of shoes, every pair is new and up to date and the prices he sells them for makes every day a bargain day at his store. He makes the exchanging of goods or the refunding of money as pleasant as the buying of them. Give me a call, you cannot buy without looking, but you are free to look without buying. We do shoe repairing neatly and promptly.

JOSEPH FRICK,
113 Territorial street, opera house side,
Benton Harbor, Mich.

A. E. Crooks, florist, 175 Britain avenue. Choice potted plants, palms, ferns etc. Floral designs a speciality 476tf

New Store..

You are cordially welcomed at

...BON TON CANDY STORE

We have an elegant Ice Cream Parlor and are now serving Ice Cream by the dish.

Come and See Us..

Fresh Taffies every day. Opera Carmels and other Carmels that will suit you. We make all our Candies in the basement.

Home Made Bake Goods

of all kinds.

Cottage Cheese Fresh every day.

Cut Flowers and Plants

At....

BON TON CANDY STORR

Wenninger & Totzke,

DEALERS IN

...SALT AND FRESH...

MEATS

Game and Fish in season

Good Meats and Prompt Service.

"Our Aim." To please our customers.

Orders taken and delivered.

Tel. 104-5. Cor. Main and 7th Sts

Cement Walks..

Have them built by a man who has had 15 years' experience and you will be satisfied. That man is

Charles DeWitt

St. Joseph, Mich.

[illegible]

BAKING POWDER

Absolutely Pure

Celebrated for its great leavening strength and healthfulness. Assures the food against alum and all forms of adulterations common to the cheap brands.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., New York.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

IT is Postmaster Huntington now and ex-Postmaster Nichols.

BORN Saturday to Mr. and Mrs. Nutting of Benton township, a boy.

CHARLES Foster has a force of men at Paw Paw lake repairing his summer cottage.

ONE drunk was confined in the city jail over Sunday and was released this morning.

THERE will be an adjourned meeting of the council tonight to consider the sidewalk ordinance.

H. S. WILLIAMSON and Rev. Mr. Arney of this city have opened a fruit commission house in Grand Rapids.

HALL & Nichols sell ice cream in pasteboard pails, a very neat package warranted to "stand up" for an hour.

THE board of directors of the biulding and loan association will meet this evening at the office of Rounds & Warner. There will be money on hand to loan.

DAY Officer Crawford is confined to his home on account of a sprained ankle and night officer O'Brian is taking his place. Charles Johnson is taking Mr. O'Brian's place.

THE Twin City Telephone company received several large boxes of batteries and telephones this morning. The goods are being unpacked in the Robinson building.

THE steamer Tourist did a big business Sunday carrying excursionists to and from St. Joseph. The first load carried gave the boat a good test as it was loaded down to the water's edge.

JUSTICE Cady adjourned the case of W. H. Kennicott, charged with cruelty to a horse, for one week pending an investigation. The case against Frank Cone, charged with larceny, was adjourned 30 days.

LADIES of the Congregational church and society are requested to meet at the church parlors Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock. A full attendance is especially desired as questions of interest are to be solved.

HEALTH Officer Tutton reports that there have been 44 cases of measles reported in this city since the first of the present month. Besides this many cases have not been reported to the health department.

ENGINEER Rounds put on so much pressure at the fire yesterday afternoon that the firemen had to cry enough. The pressure was so strong for a few seconds that they could not hold the nozzle of the hose in any given direction.

A MOTHERS' meeting will be held at the Congregational church tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock to which all ladies are cordially invited. A most interesting program has been prepared and promises to be both helpful and entertaining.

NILES Sun: The Sun offers congratulations to Benton Harbor as the home of such a company as the Phœnix Accident and Sick Benefit association. Congratulations are also in order to those who are forunate enough to be protected by its policies.

POSTMASTER Huntington will probably retain the position of agent for the American express company for the next ten days, until the strawberry season is over. The officials of the express company have no time to check in and out agents just now.

IF the merchants would but give a small amout each week a fund sufficient could be raised to have Frazell's band give an open air concert one night in the week. It would seem that such an enterprise would induce many country as well as city people on the streets and draw trade to nearly every store in the city.

THE Grange Co-operative association will have their office at the West Michigan nurseries office. Reports from the large cities of the country will be received daily and points of shipment determined. All fruit growers who do not care to become members can have the same privileges as to prices, markets and any other information and no extra charges made should they desire to ship. Refrigerator cars will be ready for Monday's shipments.

FRED Collins, clerk at the Hotel Benton, like the ancient men of Athens is too superstitious. Sunday was the 13th day of the month. The register at the hotel had room for 40 names and after that was full the guests were invited to write their names on a strip of paper pasted on the back cover of the book. Mr. Collins for fear of ill luck would not start another register because it was June 13. Mine Host Brant with fiendish glee calls attention to this fact much to the annoyance of the genial clerk.

IT is a rather hard job to try to get the best of Art Beeny, of Michael & Beeny. Last spring that firm laid in a large stock of maple syrup and they over-estimated the demand by a couple of two quart cans. Saturday night a regular customer went into the store and in order to call the attention of the firm that they had a gallon of syrup which probably they would not sell for several months, as the season is over, he remarked in a sort of fiendish fashion, "You might as well give me a can of this syrup for you'll never sell it." "All right," said Mr. Beeny, and he wrapped up the syrup and gave it to the astonished customer. The latter wanted [illegible]

PERSONAL MENTION.

—C. R. Hutchinson is visiting his family here.

—Phil Kephart of Berrien Springs is visiting in the city.

—Deputy Sheriff Stowe of Berrien Springs is in the city today.

—Miss Amy Reynolds of St. Louis is visiting relatives in this city.

—Miss Magaret Ferry of Eau Claire is visiting friends in the city.

—Edgar Miller and family are visiting with O. L. Allen on Ogden avenue.

—Master Harold Sessions, High street is confined to the house with measles.

—C. W. Shriver has returned from St. Louis where he attended a meeting of nurserymen.

—Edward Rutter and Patrick O'Brian of Berrien Center are in the city today on business.

—Miss Mable McEachren of Galt, Ont., is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Boyle.

—George Larkworthy spent Sunday in Kalamazoo the guest of Mr. and Mrs. William Chaddock.

—Miss Katherine Allen left for Chicago this morning where she will spend a few weeks in studying drawing.

—J. W. McEachren, assistant city editor of The Chicago Evening Post, spent Sunday with friends in the city.

—Mrs. J. W. McEachren and daughter Ona will visit two or three weeks with Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Boyle.

—R. R. Hewson, who has a position with Browning, King & Co., Chicago spent Sunday with his family in this city.

—Earl Hemingway and wife left this evening for Ancona, Ill., for a week's vacation. They will visit friends of Mrs. Hemingway.

—Henry Rowe, an ex-employe of the Buss machine works in this city but now having a position in Grand Rapids spent Sunday with friends in this city.

—H. J. Burrell of this city is mail agent on the Lake Shore fast mail which makes Chicago to New York in 24 hours. He likes the work much better than school teaching.

—Barret O'Hara who had planned to go to the home of his parents at Nicaragua on his wheel has been persuaded to give up the idea and expects to leave on the train next Wednesday. He, accompanied by his sister, will return to this city next fall.

LOOK FOR THE FACTS demonstrated by experience. Thousands and thousands of people suffering from the effects of impure blood have been cured by Hood's Sarsaparilla.

HOOD'S PILLS act easily and promptly on the liver and bowels. Cure sick headache.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR.

County Convention Will be Held at Berrien Springs.

The semi-annual county Christian Endeavor convention will be held Thursday and Friday of this week at Berrien Springs. One of the most enjoyable programs ever arranged for a county convention will be rendered. The Thursday afternoon session will be given up to junior work and will consist of song services by the juniors and addresses by the junior workers, one of the numbers being Miss Parsons of Kalamazoo.

Those attending can go by rail or by boat. Tickets can be secured on the May Graham for 75 cents for round trip. Delegates will be entertained.

Probate Court.

Estate of George Brown, deceased. Petition filed by Elizabeth Brown, widow, for the probate of the will of said deceased, and for her appointment as executrix of said estate. Hearing July 12, at 10 a. m.

Estate of Nathaniel Wilson, deceased. Petition filed by Andrew M. Wilson, son of deceased, for the probate of the will of said deceased, and for the appointment of Elwos Holmes as executor of said estate. Hearing July 12, at 10 a. m.

Estate of George S. Ferguson, deceased. Sylvanus A. Ferguson filed his petition for the appointment of himself as administrator of said estate. Hearing July 12, at 10 a. m.

Marriage License.

Henry Schultz, 22, Stevensville, Emma Gersonde, 19, Bridgman.

Austin Robinson, 23, Vassar, Lulu Roush, 20, Benton Harbor.

HINTS TO MONEY SAVERS.

Special Bargains Which Our Merchants are Offering.

James Pound, the dry goods dealer, is selling carpets at reduced prices.

If yot have any money to spend in buying shoes read M. S. Peck's new ad. He will save you money.

H. E. Belding appears in a new advertisement today quoting low prices on high grade bicycles. It will pay you to read what he says and notice his prices.

John T. Owens quotes some figures that will certainly reduce his fine line of choice dishes and crockery. Mr. Owens did not get the postoffice, but the happy assurance "next to postoffice" is the legend used to tell his location.

E. W. Moore & Co. are offering special prices in dry goods and groceries.

The Chicago Bargain Store is giving reduced prices on ladies' muslin underwear.

Do your cooking with a gas stove and avoid all dust or dirt. tf511

Excursion up the River.

The ladies of Benton Center Circle, who are raising money for building a Union church, will give an excursion up the river on the May Graham June 19. Fare for the round trip 50 cents. Boat will leave Benton Harbor at 7:30 a. m. and St. Joseph at 8:00. The ladies will conduct a lunch counter on [illegible]

..LADIES..

Muslin . Underwe

..SALE..

..AT THE..

Chicago . Bargain . Sto

Leaders of Low and Popular Prices.

Good Night Gowns at 39c.

Lace Trimmed Night Gowns at 49c

Embroidered Trimmed Night Gowns at 49c.

Lace and Embroidered Trimmed Gowns at 69c.

Cambric Muslin, Lace and Embroidered Trimmed Gowns at 89 c.

Cambric Muslin Lace and Embroidered Trimmed Gowns at 98c., $1.19, $1.29, $1.39, $1.49, $1.65, $1.85, $2.00, and $2.25, the best values ever offered.

Ladies' Muslin Skirts, Lace Trimmed at 49c.

Ladies' Muslin Skirt Lace and Embroidered Trimmed at 65c.

Ladies' Cambric Muslin Skirts Lace and Embr. Trimmed at 85c.

Ladies' Cambric and Muslin Skirts Lace and Embr. Trimmed at 97c.

Ladies' Enbroidered Lace

Skirts at 98c, $1.19, $1.29, $1.49,

$1.85, $2.00, $2.25, $2.50.

Ladies' Muslin Drawers at 25c,

39c, 49c.

Ladies' Muslin and Cambric Dra

Umbrella shape, at 59c, 69c, 79c,

$1.00, $1.19 $1.35.

Ladies' Corset Covers at 20c, 25c,

49c, 56c, 69c, 85c.

Large line Black Skirts.

250 odd Corsets, sizes 18 to 30,

lar 75c and $1 Corsets, at 49c.

Good Summer Corset at 25c

A 75c Corset at 49c.

Jackson Corset Waists at 75c to

We carry in stock well known Br

Corsets at 49c to $1.50.

Chicago Bargain Stor

Leaders of Low and Popular Prices,

106 East Main Street, Hotel Benton Block

Do You Intend to Travel?

Remember we BUY and Sell Railway and Steam Tickets..

Members American Ticket Brokers' Association.

We BUY and SELL Real Estate, Write Insurance, Negotiate Loans, Collect Rentals, etc.

Ground Floor Office . . . 114 Water St

Rounds & Warner

OFFICE HOURS: 7 a. m. to 9

Look Before You Leap...

Is an old maxim and a good one. It will also ho good in buying Dry Goods. Look before you bu Do not believe all you see in the papers about pric clearing out sales, etc. We are all here to ma money, at least a living, and a merchant is not goin to sell you good, staple goods for less than first co without getting a double profit on something el Often we all have goods in our stores which we don want and these goods we are willing to sell for le than first cost. This is the case with the clothing have left. I will sell anything I have at 65 to 75 per cent on the dollar from first cost. I want the money and do not want the clothing. I can bu dry goods with money aad sell them at a profit. in need of clothing come and see me. I can plea you.

J. O. VAN HORN..

The Weather has Changed

Call on the

Union Ice & Coal Compan

For Pure Spring Water The only pure ice that **ICE** From Paw Paw La is for sale in the ci

Leave Orders at A. H. Conkey & Son's Grocery Stor

TELEPHONE 79-4 rings.

To Fruit Growers...

Beginning Monday, June 7, the Steamer

Will leave Benton Harbor every day but Saturday at 9 p. m. Running direct from bor to Chicago and having the best dock in Chicago for the handling of fruit give you the early markets. Having often had experience with late markets that "An early market means top prices." As an evidence of good faith this assumed all shortages contracted last year by the "Minnie M." All having quested to call at once to have them adjusted.

Benton Harbor Dock, Robbins' Dock, Foot of Seventh St.

The Chicago & Benton Harbor Tra

[illegible]

[illegible] Preaches a Picturesque [illegible] Calamity in Paradise [illegible] What Does Not Belong to [illegible]

[illegible] June 13.—A new interpretation of the calamity in paradise is given [illegible] in this sermon, which is [illegible] practical lessons. The text is [illegible] "And when the woman saw [illegible] was good for food and that it [illegible] to the eyes, and a tree to be [illegible] to make one wise, she took of the [illegible] and did eat, and gave also unto [illegible] with her, and he did eat."

[illegible] Saturday afternoon in the [illegible]. Every since sunrise [illegible] been watching the brilliant [illegible] of wings and scales and clouds. [illegible] lessons in zoology and ornithology [illegible] he has noticed that [illegible] the air in twos and that the [illegible] the water in twos and that the [illegible] the fields in twos and in the [illegible] of that Saturday afternoon [illegible] off into slumber, and as if [illegible] to teach all ages that the greatest [illegible] blessings is sound sleep, this [illegible] somnolence ends with the dis[illegible] part of Adam of a corre[illegible] intelligence just landed on a [illegible]. Of the mother of all the living [illegible]—Eve, the first, the fairest and [illegible]

A Beautiful Garden.

[illegible] a garden. I inlay the paths [illegible] moss, and I border them [illegible] from Ceylon and diamonds [illegible]. Here and there are foun[illegible] in the sunlight and ponds [illegible] under the paddling of the [illegible] I gather me lilies from the Ama[illegible] orange groves from the tropics [illegible] tamarinds from Goyaz. There are [illegible] and honeysuckle climbing over [illegible] and starred spaniels sprawling [illegible] on the grass. I invite amid [illegible] the larks, and the brown [illegible] and the robins, and all the bright[illegible] of heaven, and they stir the air [illegible] chirp and carol. And yet the [illegible] desert filled with darkness and [illegible] compared with the residence of [illegible] of the text, the subject of my [illegible]. Never since have such skies looked [illegible] through such leaves into such [illegible]. Never has river wave had such [illegible] sheen and bank as adorned the [illegible] the Havilah, the Gihon, and the [illegible], even the pebbles being bdellium [illegible] stones! What fruits, with no [illegible] to sting the rind! What flowers, [illegible] slug to gnaw the root! What at[illegible], with no frost to chill and with [illegible] to consume! Bright colors tangled [illegible]. Perfume in the air. Music [illegible]. Great scenes of gladness and [illegible] joy.

[illegible] there under a bower of leaf and [illegible] shrub occurred the first marriage. [illegible] took the hand of this immaculate [illegible] of God and pronounced the ceremony [illegible] when he said, "Bone of my bone [illegible] of my flesh." A forbidden tree [illegible] the midst of that exquisite park. [illegible] sauntering out one day alone, looks up [illegible] and sees the beautiful fruit and [illegible] if it is sweet and wonders if it is [illegible] standing there says: "I think I [illegible] put my hand upon the fruit. It [illegible] no damage to the tree. I will not [illegible] fruit to eat, but I will just take [illegible] to examine it." She examined [illegible]. She said, "I do not think there [illegible] harm in my just breaking the [illegible]." She put the fruit to her teeth, [illegible], she allowed Adam also to taste [illegible] the door of the world opened, [illegible] monster sin entered. Let the [illegible] gather blackness, and the winds [illegible] the bosom of the hills, and cavern, [illegible], and earth, and sky join in one [illegible] hell rending howl, "The world [illegible]

[illegible] that before were harmless and [illegible] play put forth claw and sting and [illegible] tusk. Birds whet their beak, [illegible]. Clouds troop in the sky. Sharp [illegible] shoot up through the soft grass; [illegible] on the leaves. All the chords of [illegible] harmony are snapped. Upon [illegible] home this world ever saw [illegible] parents turned their backs and led [illegible] path of sorrow the brokenheart[illegible] of a ruined race.

Ruin In Curiosity.

[illegible] not see in the first place the [illegible] a poorly regulated inquisitive[illegible] wanted to know how the fruit [illegible]. She found out, but 6,000 years [illegible] that unhealthful curiosity. [illegible] curiosity has done a great deal [illegible], for art, for science and for re[illegible] has gone down into the depths [illegible] earth with the geologist and seen [illegible] chapter of Genesis written in the [illegible], illustrated with engraving [illegible] and it stood with the antiquarian [illegible] blew the trumpet of resurrection [illegible] Herculaneum and Pompeii, [illegible] their sepulcher there came up [illegible] terrace and amphitheater. [illegible] curiosity has enlarged the tele[illegible] of the astronomer until worlds [illegible] the distant heavens have trooped [illegible] have joined the choir praising [illegible]. Planet weighed against planet [illegible] comet lassooed with replen[illegible]. Healthful curiosity has gone [illegible] found the tracks of the eternal [illegible] the polypi and the starfish under [illegible] the majesty of the great Jeho[illegible] under the gorgeous cur[illegible] the dahlia. It has studied the [illegible] sun, and the larva in a beech [illegible] the light under a firefly's wing, [illegible] terrible eye glance of a condor [illegible] from Chimborazo. It has studied [illegible] of animalculæ that make up [illegible] phosphorescence in a ship's wake, and [illegible] maze of suns and spheres and [illegible] and galaxies that blaze on [illegible] of God. Healthful curiosity [illegible] by the inventor until forces that [illegible] for ages came to wheels, and [illegible] shafts and shuttles—forces that [illegible] swim the sea, or cleave the [illegible] until the earth jars and roars [illegible] and crackles and booms with [illegible] mechanism, and ships with nos[illegible] steam and yokes of fire draw [illegible] together.

[illegible] against healthful curi[illegible] have other Leyden jars, [illegible] batteries, and other vol[illegible] other magnifying glasses, [illegible] storm the barred castles of [illegible] world until it shall surrender [illegible]. We thank God for the geo[illegible] of Professor Hitchcock, [illegible] curiosity of Liebig, [illegible] curiosity of Cuvier, and [illegible] curiosity of Edison, but we [illegible] unhealthful and irregu[illegible] has rushed thousands [illegible] into ruin. [illegible]

[illegible] reach, or have come out on limbs of the tree from which they have tumbled into ruin without remedy. A thousand trees of religious knowledge from which we may eat and get advantage, but from certain trees of mystery how many have plucked their ruin! Election, free agency, trinity, resurrection—in the discussion of these subjects hundreds and thousands of people ruin the soul. There are men who actually have been kept out of the kingdom of heaven because they could not understand who Melchisedec was not!

Like Dead Sea Fruit.

Oh, how many have been destroyed by an unhealthful inquisitiveness! It is seen in all directions. There are those who stand with the eye stare and mouth gape of curiosity. They are the first to hear a falsehood, build it another story high and two wings to it. About other people's apparel, about other people's business, about other people's financial condition, about other people's affairs, they are overanxious. Every nice piece of gossip stops at their door, and they fatten and luxuriate in the endless round of the great world of tittle tattle. They invite and sumptuously entertain at their house Colonel Twaddle and Squire Chitchat and Governor Smalltalk. Whoever hath an innuendo, whoever hath a scandal, whoever hath a valuable secret, let him come and sacrifice it to this goddess of splutter. Thousands of Adams and Eves do nothing but eat fruit that does not belong to them, men quite well known as mathematicians failing in this computation of moral algebra—good sense plus good breeding, minus curiosity, equals minding your own affairs!

Then, how many young men through curiosity go through the whole realm of French novels to see whether they are really as bad as moralists have pronounced them. They come near the verge of the precipice just to look off. They want to see how far it really is down, but they lose their balance while they look and fall into remediless ruin, or, catching themselves, clamber up, bleeding and ghastly, on the rock, gibbering with curses or groaning ineffectual prayer. By all means encourage healthful inquisitiveness; by all means discourage ill regulated curiosity.

This subject also impresses me with the fact that fruits that are sweet to the taste may afterward produce great agony. Forbidden fruit for Eve was so pleasant she invited her husband also to take of it. But her banishment from paradise and 6,000 years of sorrow and wretchedness and war and woe paid for that luxury. Sin may be very sweet at the start, and it may induce great wretchedness afterward. The cup of sin is sparkling at the top, but there is death at the bottom. Intoxication has great exhilaration for awhile, and it fillips the blood, and it makes a man see five stars where others can see only one star, and it makes the poor man rich, and turns cheeks which are white red as roses. But what about the dreams that come after, when he seems falling from great heights or is prostrated by other fancied disasters and the perspiration stands on the forehead—the night dew of everlasting darkness—and he is ground under the horrible hoof of nightmares shrieking with lips that crackle with all consuming torture? "Rejoice, O young man, in thy youth, and let thy heart cheer thee in the days of thy youth! But know thou that for all these things God will bring thee into judgment!" Sweet at the start, horrible at the last. Go into that hall of revelry, where ungodly mirth staggers and blasphemes. Listen to the senseless gabble. See the last trace of intelligence dashed out from faces made in God's own image. "Aha, aha!" says the roistering inebriate. "This is joy for you. Fill high your cups, my boys. I drink to my wife's misery, and my children's rags, and my God's defiance." And he knows not that a fiend stirs the goblet in his hand and that adders uncoil from the dregs and thrust their forked tongues hissing through the froth on the rim. The Philistines jeered and laughed and shouted at Samson. Oh, they wanted him to make sport for them, and he made sport for them! How bright and gay was the scene for a little while! After awhile the giant puts one hand against this pillar and the other hand against that pillar and bows himself, and 3,000 merrymakers are mashed like grapes in a winepress. Sin rapturous at the start, awful at the last.

A Staggering Blow.

That one Edenic transgression did not seem to be much, but it struck a blow which to this day makes the earth stagger. To find out the consequences of that one sin you would have to compel the world to throw open all its prison doors and display the crime, and throw open all its hospitals and display the disease, and throw open all the insane asylums and show the wretchedness, and open all the sepulchers and show the dead, and open all the doors of the lost world and show the damned. That one Edenic transgression stretched chords of misery across the heart of the world and struck them with dolorous wailing, and it has seated the plagues upon the air, and the shipwrecks upon the tempest, and fastened, like a leech, famine to the heart of the sick and dying nations. Beautiful at the start, horrible at the last. Oh, how many have experienced it!

Are there here those who are votaries of pleasure? Let me warn you, my brother. Your pleasure boat is far from shore, and your summer day is ending roughly, for the winds and the waves are loud voiced, and the overcoming clouds are all awrithe and agleam with terror. You are past the Narrows, and almost outside the Hook, and if the Atlantic take thee, frail mortal, thou shalt never get to shore again. Put back, row swiftly, swifter, swifter! Jesus from the shore casteth a rope. Clasp it quickly, now or never. Oh, are there not some of you who are freighting all your loves and joys and hopes upon a vessel which shall never reach the port of heaven? Thou nearest the breakers. One heave upon the rocks. Oh, what an awful crash was that! Another lunge may crush thee beneath the spars or grind thy bones to powder amid the torn timbers. Overboard for your life, overboard! Trust not that loose plank nor attempt the wave, but quickly clasp the feet of Jesus walking on the watery pavement, shouting until he hear thee, "Lord, save me or I perish!" Sin beautiful at the start—oh, how sad, how distressful, at the last! The ground over which it leads you is hollow. The fruit it offers to your taste is poison. The promise it makes to you is a lie. Over that ungodly banquet the keen sword of God's judgment hangs, and there are ominous handwritings on the walls.

Observe also in this subject how repelling sin is when appended to great attractiveness. Since Eve's death there has been no such perfection of womanhood. You could not suggest an attractiveness to the [illegible] the fruit she munched upon the world the crime, the woe, the tumults that have set the universe a-wailing.

Fatal Charms.

A terrible offset to all her attractiveness. We are not surprised when we find men and women naturally vulgar going into transgression. We expect that people who live in the ditch shall have the manners of the ditch, but how shocking when we find sin appended to superior education and to the refinements of social life! The accomplishments of Mary, queen of Scots, make her patronage of Darnley, the profligate, the more appalling. The genius of Catherine II of Russia only sets forth in more powerful contrast here unappeasable ambition. The translations from the Greek and the Latin by Elizabeth and her wonderful qualifications for a queen make the more disgusting her capriciousness of affection and her hotness of temper. The greatness of Byron's mind makes the more alarming Byron's sensuality.

Let no one think that refinement of manner or exquisiteness of taste or superiority of education can in any wise apologize for ill temper, for an oppressive spirit, for unkindness, for any kind of sin. Disobedience Godward and transgression manward can give no excuse. Accomplishment heaven high is no apology for vice hell deep.

My subject also impresses me with the regal influence of woman. When I see Eve with this powerful influence over Adam and over the generations that have followed, it suggests to me the great power all women have for good or for evil. I have no sympathy, nor have you, with the hollow flatteries showered upon woman from the platform and the stage. They mean nothing; they are accepted as nothing. Woman's nobility consists in the exercise of a Christian influence, and when I see this powerful influence of Eve upon her husband and upon the whole human race I make up my mind that the frail arm of woman can strike a blow which will resound through all eternity down among the dungeons or up among the thrones.

Woman and Home.

Of course I am not speaking of representative women—of Eve, who ruined the race by one fruit picking; of Jael, who drove a spike through the head of Sisera, the warrior; of Esther, who overcame royalty; of Abigail, who stopped a host by her own beautiful prowess; of Mary, who nursed the world's Saviour; of Grandmother Lois, immortalized in her grandson Timothy; of Charlotte Corday, who drove the dagger through the heart of the assassin of her lover, or of Marie Antoinette, who by one look from the balcony of her castle quieted a mob, her own scaffold the throne of forgiveness and womanly courage. I speak not of these extraordinary persons, but of those who, unambitious for political power, as wives and mothers and sisters and daughters attend to the thousand sweet offices of home.

When at last we come to calculate the forces that decided the destiny of nations, it will be found that the mightiest and grandest influence came from home, where the wife cheered up despondency and fatigue and sorrow by her own sympathy, and the mother trained her child for heaven, starting the little feet on the path to the celestial city, and the sisters by their gentleness refined the manners of the brother, and the daughters were diligent in their kindness to the aged, throwing wreaths of blessing on the road that leads father and mother down the steep of years. God bless our homes! And may the home on earth be the vestibule of our home in heaven, in which place may we all meet—father, mother, son, daughter, brother, sister, grandfather and grandmother and grandchild, and the entire group of precious ones of whom we must say in the words of transporting Charles Wesley:

> One family, we dwell in him;
> One church above, beneath.
> Though now divided by the stream—
> The narrow stream of death—
> One army of the living God,
> To his command we bow.
> Part of the host have crossed the flood,
> And part are crossing now.

A Husband Wanted.

The queen regent of Spain has a marriageable daughter on her hands. Mercedes, princess of the Asturias, is now 17, and propositions for her hand have been already considered at the Spanish court. For six months before the birth of the king Mercedes, who was named for the first wife of her father, was a daisy queen of Spain. But little Alphonso XIII appeared on the scene, and she was given a back seat. It is but a sorry outlook for the two girls who were born to Queen Christina before this little son. Mercedes, being the elder, should marry first, but she is not pretty, and, Spain being in a terrible financial condition, the chances for a speedy alliance for her are slim. The second daughter is sweet 16 and quite an attractive little person. The Princess of the Asturias rides a bicycle and tries to have as good a time as she can under the circumstances, but matters are mighty onsartin for the royal family, and it would not be the strangest thing in the world if some day they packed up and went to Paris for a long stay.—Boston Herald.

Law and the Dry Rot.

On a railroad in Pennsylvania stand 32 Pullman palace cars, closely guarded day and night by watchmen whose only duty it is to see that no one interferes with the process of decay and despoliation which the elements have inaugurated. The cars are the property of the Pennsylvania Railroad company and represent an outlay of about $400,000. These handsome coaches have been dragged through the slow and tortuous processes of litigation for over five years. Both the railroad and the Pullman company have claims on the cars, and until a final decision is rendered in the courts these magnificent vehicles of travel by rail are left to rot and crumble in the open air. They will soon be unfit for any use except kindling wood and old scrap iron.—Exchange.

Salary No Object.

The centenary of the consecration of Bishop Bass of Massachusetts, which was celebrated recently, recalls some anecdotes of the bishop. He refused to live in Dorchester because the brooks there were "not large enough for bass to swim in." His first marriage displeased his parishioners, whereupon he preached to them a sermon from the text, "They will slay me for my wife's sake." His parishioners would often get in arrears with his salary, which never was more than $500. When the treasury was so low as to become hopeless, they would call upon him and ask [illegible]

[illegible] AND STEAMBOATS.

Schedule of Time and Excursion Rates.

Excursion Rates

THE BIG FOUR.

Account of the Junior Order United American Mechanics National Council, Pittsburg, Pa., June 15 to 19, '97.

For the above occasion the Big Four will sell round trip excursion tickets at one lowest first class one way fare, tickets on sale June 12, 13 and 14, 1897. Final return limit June 21, 1897.

Account of Young People's Christian Union, Universalist Church, Detroit, Mich., July 8 to 13, '97.

The Big Four Railroad Co. will sell round trip excursion tickets at one first class one way fare. Tickets on sale July 5 and 6, 1897. Final return limit July 14.

31st National Encampment, G. A. R.]

The "Big Four Route" is well known to the "Boys in Blue" and is their favorite route to all National Encampments. The Very Low Rate of One Cent per Mile each way will be in effect on all parts of its system and the superior through train service to Buffalo from Peoria, St. Louis, Louisville Indianapolis, Cincinnati, Dayton, Springfield, Columbus and intermediate points via Cleveland, or via Toledo and Detroit, has placed the "Big Four" in the lead. Full information will be cheerfully given by any agent upon application.

Tennessee Centennial.

The great southern exposition has created great interest throughout the country and applications are being made as to the best route to reach this great southern city. The "Big Four" has the best line from the east with through train service to Cincinnati from New York, Boston, Buffalo, Cleveland and Columbus; from Detroit, Toledo and Sandusky to Cincinnati: and from Chicago and Benton Harbor to Cincinnati and Louisville. Direct connections are made with the Q. & C. route and the L. & N. Ry Full information will be cheerfully given upon application.

Epworth League Convention.

The "Big Four Route" will name special low rates for this convention and calls attention to superiority of its line from St. Louis, Peoria, Indianapolis, Cincinnati, Dayton, Springfield, Columbus, via Cleveland, Buffalo and Niagara Falls to Toronto, or via Toledo and Detroit. Apply for full particulars.

For the Baptist Young People's Union of America to its annual convention "The Big Four Route" will name rate of one fare for round trip from al points on its system. From the east through trains run to Cincinnati, making direct connection with the Q. & C. route and the L. & N. Ry. in Central Union depot. From the north a choice of routes is offered via Cincinnati or Louisville. For rates, routes, and full information call on any representative of the Big Four route.

Account of the annual convention of the Young People's Christian Union at Indianapolis, Ind., August 18 to 23, 1897. The Big Four railway company will sell round trip excursion tickets at one lowest first class one way fare. Tickets on sale August 17 to 18. Final return limit August 24.

Account of the national republican league of United States at Detroit, Mich. The Big Four railway company will sell round trip tickets at one lowest first class fare. Tickets on sale July 12 and 13. Final return limit July 16.

Account of the German Epworth League, M. E. church, convention to be held in Cincinnati, Ohio, July 22 to 25, 1897, the Big Four will sell round trip excursion tickets at one lowest first class fare. Tickets on sale July 21 and 22. Final return limit July 26.

L. G. Smith. Agent.

How Trains Run

WEST MICHIGAN.

CHICAGO & WEST MICHIGAN RAILWAY.
In effect Sept 27. 1896.

Going South			Stations.	Going North		
a. m.	p. m.	p. m.		p. m.	p. m.	a. m.
10:30	1:35	11:30	Grand Rapids	1:35	10:30	6:00
11:55	3:50	2:25	Benton H'rbor	10:30	8:00	3:00
12:05	3:57	2:45	St. Joseph	10:20	7:55	2:45
3:00	6:50	6:30	Chicago	7:20	5:00	11:30
p. m.	p. m.	a. m.		a. m.	p. m.	p. m.

Geo. DeHaven, Gen. Pass. Agt., Grand Rapids.
Jas. Mahoney, Agt., Benton Harbor.

DETROIT, GD. RAPIDS & WESTERN, R. R.

Trains leave Grand Rapids for Lansing and Detroit at 7:00 a. m., 1:30 p. m. and 5:25 p. m. For Saginaw at 7:10 a. m. and 4:20 p. m. Parlor cars on all trains: seats 25 cents.

THE BIG FOUR.

C. C. C. & ST. L. RAILWAY.
MICHIGAN DIVISION.

No. 23 leaves Benton Harbor at 7:00 a. m. for Indianapolis, Louisville, Cincinnati and intermediate points. No. 25 leaves at 1:00 p. m. for Indianapolis, Louisville, Cincinnati and intermediate points. No. 27 leaves at 5:00 p. m. Elkhart accommodation. Arrive at Benton Harbor: No. 28, 8:50 a. m. No. 22, 2:10 p. m. No 24, 6:42.

VANDALIA.

Taking effect January, 18th, 1897, trains will leave St. Joseph, Mich., daily except Sunday as follows:

Northbound Trains. No. 14.	Northbound Trains. No. 6.	Stations.	Southbound Trains. No. 11.	Southbound Trains. No. 1a.
a. m.	p. m.		a. m.	p. m.
9 40	2 15	Ar. St. Joseph Lv.	10 45	5 20
9 17	1 51	Baroda	11 08	5 43
8 56	1 30	Galien	11 28	6 03
8 20	12 53	South Bend	12 06	6 41
7 32	12 05	Plymouth	12 55	7 29
6 05	10 37	Logansport	2 18	9 58
a. m.	6 20	Terre Haute	6 20	p. m.
	7 10	Indianapolis	5 45	
	3 30	Lv. Cincinnati Ar.	9 05	
	a. m.		p. m.	

For complete time card giving all trains and stations, and for full information as to rates through cars, etc., address

Frank R. Hale, Agent, St. Joseph, Mich.
E. A. Ford, Gen. Pass. Agt., St. Louis, Mo

Seely McCord..

Manufacturer of

Brick and Drain Tile...

Dealer in

Lime, Hair, Cement, etc.

Office on C. & W. M. Tracks at Paw Paw Ave
Telephone 62-2 rings.

Dr. Freemyer,
Homeopathic Physician and Surgeon.

Specialist of years of experience in the treatment of diseases of the human system in all their various forms. Hemorrhoids, tumors and Fistulas removed without pain. All diseases of the Pelvic and Rectal organs treated and cured no matter how long standing. Don't give up because you have been told there is no help for you but consult the doctor. Office No. 167, corner Washington and Ross streets. Hours 9 to 11 and 2 to 4. All calls will receive prompt attention. Correspondence solicited with return stamp for reply.

MRS. DR. H. A. FREEMYER.

Practice limited to diseases of Women and Children. Office, corner Washington and Ross streets. Office hours 9 to 11 and 2 to 4.
We make the study and practice of medicine and surgery a business exclusively.

ARTISTIC WOOD WORK

By expending a few dollars in grills, in brackets or wood ornaments you can greatly improve the appearance of your house both interior and exterior.

W. H. Berkheiser

159 West Main Sreet.

Five horse steam engine for sale.

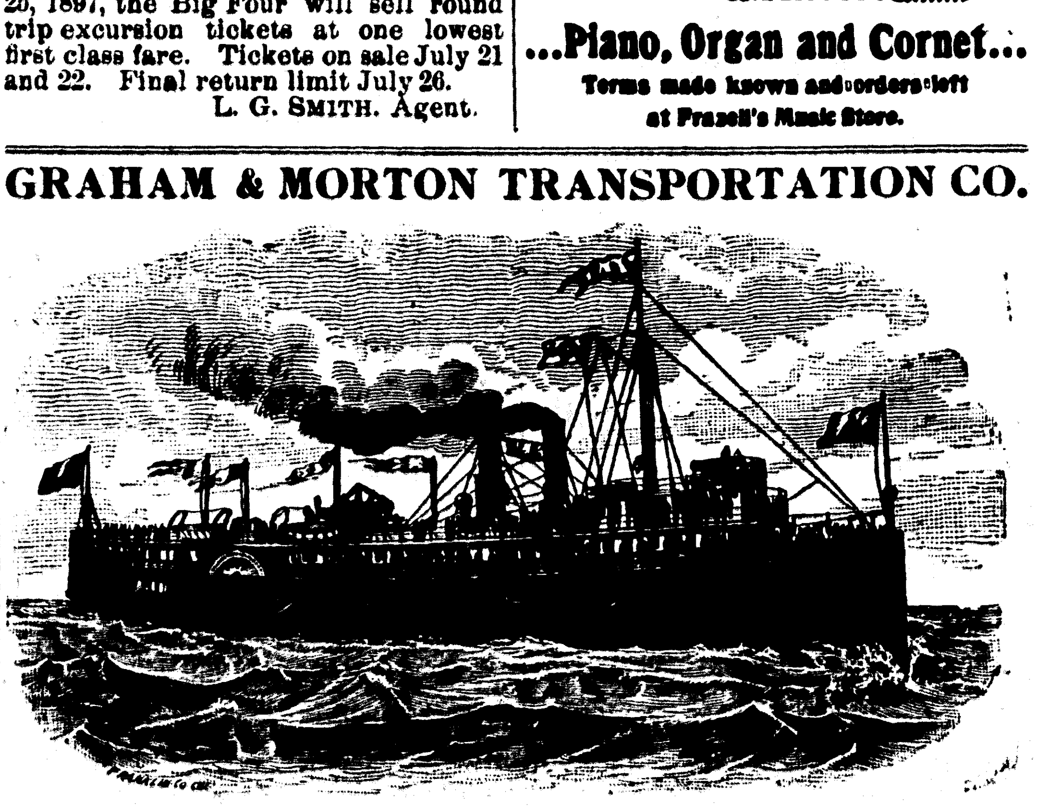
Fred H. Null

INSTRUCTOR.......

...Piano, Organ and Cornet...

Terms made known and orders left at Frazell's Music Store.

GRAHAM & MORTON TRANSPORTATION CO.



STEAMER LINES FROM

Benton Harbor and St. Joseph to Chicago and Milwaukee.

The steel side wheel steamers, CITY OF CHICAGO" and "CITY OF MILWAUKEE,,' the new propeller "CITY OF LOUISVILLE" and the Steamer "FRANK WOODS.

Beginning May 30 and until further notice the following schedule will be observed on the Chicago Division:

Leave Benton Harbor	Leave St. Joseph	Arrive Chicago		Leave Chicago	Arrive St. Joseph	Arrive Benton Harbor
1:00 p. m. daily ex Sat. & Sun	4:30 p. m. daily	8:30 p. m. daily	—	9:30 a. m. daily	1:30 p. m. daily	2:30 p. m. daily
8:30 p. m. daily Inc. Sunday	10:30 p m daily Inc. Sunday	4:00 a. m. daily	—	11:30 p m daily Inc. Sunday	4:00 a. m. daily	5:30 a. m. daily
7:00 a. m. Saturday only	8:00 a m Saturday only	12:00 noon Saturday only	—	10:00 a m Sunday only	2:00 p. m. Sunday only	
	6:00 p m Sunday only	10:00 p m Sunday only	—	2:00 p m Saturday only	6:00 p. m. Saturday only	7:00 p. m. Sat.

Tri-weekly steamers to Milwaukee, leaving Benton Harbor at 7 p. m., St. Joseph at 9 p. m., Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays. Leave Milwaukee at 7 p. m. Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays.

DOCKS: [illegible]

[illegible]

The Job of Overseeing the Republic of France.

ATTEMPT TO ASSASSINATE FAURE.

Bomb Exploded "At" Him as He Drove to the Race for the Grand Prix—Infernal Machine a Very Crude Affair and Not Likely to Do Any Harm, but an Arsenal of Weapons and Bad Literature Found in the Would-Be Assassin's Hiding Place,

Paris, June 14.—An attempt was made yesterday to assassinate Felix Faure, president of the French republic, while he was en route to Long Champs to witness the Grand Prix. While M. Faure's carriage was passing a thicket near La Cascade restaurant, in the Bois de Bolougne, a bomb which subsequently proved to be a piece of tubing about six inches long and two inches in diameter, with a thickness of half an inch, charged with powder and swan shot, exploded. No one was injured by the explosion. A man in the crowd suspected as the prime mover was arrested. He gave his name as Gallet, and made only the briefest replies to questions put to him by the police.

PRESIDENT FAURE.

Gallet said that he had no occupation, but resided at Levallers-Perret. The police are making a thorough search of his lodgings. He is believed to be insane, for he shouted as the carriage passed along so loudly as to attract general attention in the crowd.

Real Villain Probably Got Away.

The police have also made another arrest, in this case a youth, but it is thought probable that the actual culprit escaped. The news of the attempt spread like wild-fire through the city, and when M. Faure returned to the Elysee the streets along the route where it was known he would drive were crowded with people who cheered him vociferously. It was at first reported that the would-be assassin was a young man about 25, who stood in the crowd a hundred yards or more from the race course and discharged a pistol at M. Faure as he drove up to the entrance, and there was a subsequent report that both pistol and bomb were used. But the police now believe that the supposed pistol shot was merely the noise of the bomb.

Not Much Danger in the Bomb.

The bomb was a clumsily made affair to which a piece of fuse was attached, and the fuse was probably lighted by a paper fixed in the end of a stick as soon as the head of the procession came in view. The presumption is that at the moment the fuse was lighted the culprit fled, and in any case the bomb could not have done much harm. In the thicket where the police found the remnants of the bomb, they found a pistol on which were engraved the words "Mort a Felix Faure," and the names Alsace-Lorraine and Cologne. Near the pistol was a small dagger bearing a similar threatening inscription and a few feet away the police found a newspaper with a cartoon grossly insulting to the president. This contained an offensive inscription hinting at the execution of M. Faure.

Crowd Mobs a Policeman.

The correspondent of the Associated Press had an interview with an official who was riding with M. Faure. The official said: "When the report was heard a dense cloud of smoke rose from the thicket and there was consternation until it was found that no one had been injured. The police sprang forward, but found the thicket deserted. When the crowd saw one of the policemen holding the bomb they jumped to the conclusion that he was the perpetrator of the outrage, and handled him roughly, clubbing him with heavy walking sticks and umbrellas until his comrades rescued him, badly bruised and covered with blood. The president's cortege then proceeded to the race course."

SPOT IS NOTED FOR SUCH CRIMES.

Previous Attempt on Faure's Life at the Same Place—Suggestion of an Editor.

This attempt on the life of M. Faure was made on the very spot where Beresowsky tried to shoot the czar while he was driving to the military review at Long Champs in 1867, and where Francois, a lunatic, fired his revolver at M. Faure on July 14 last. Having this in mind the police took extra precautions. Special officers were detailed to watch suspects and to search houses known to be the resorts of dangerous characters. The roadway had been clear for some time. The presidential escort was led by two dragoons holding their pistols forward in the most threatening way. Then came a large body of dragoons, and after them, in the midst of a cloud of dust, the president's open carriage with outriders. The president was accompanied by his wife, while in another carriage were his two daughters, Mlle. Lucie Faure and Mme. Berge.

The horses attached to M. Faure's carriage reared wildly at the explosion, but were whipped on by Montjarret's vigorous arm. Rousteaux, the detective who is always with the president, rushed forward and grappled with a man, but was immediately set upon by a half dozen persons in the crowd, probably accomplices of the would-be assassin. The crowd mistook the detective for an anarchist, and was about to lynch him. He was beaten, kicked, and, upon and [illegible]

[illegible] It is a curious fact that Saturday the Petite Republique Francais published a statement declaring that the police were busy organizing an incident for M. Faure's visit to Russia, suggesting that a nimble clown would be dressed in rags and jump upon the step of the president's carriage brandishing a homicidal weapon.

BALTIMORE CONTINUES TO LEAD.

Oriole City Men Improve Their Hold on the Base Ball Lead.

Chicago, June 14.—The Baltimore club of the National Base Ball League looks like a winner again at this stage of the game. The husky ball-thumpers of that aggregation are still at the top of the class and have increased their percentage of lead. Cincinnati has given up second place to Boston and Pittsburg has tumbled from fourth place to eighth, as follows:

	Played.	Won.	Lost.	P. C.
Baltimore	38	29	9	.763
Boston	40	28	12	.700
Cincinnati	39	25	14	.641
New York	36	20	16	.556
Philadelphia	43	23	20	.535
Brooklyn	40	21	19	.525
Cleveland	39	19	20	.487
Pittsburg	39	19	20	.487
Louisville	40	17	23	.425
Chicago	41	16	25	.390
Washington	38	13	25	.324
St. Louis	43	8	35	.186

Following are the latest League scores: At Washington—Pittsburg 2, Washington 4; at Baltimore—Louisville 6, Baltimore 15; at New York—St. Louis 2, New York 9; at Philadelphia—Cleveland 0, Philadelphia 5; at Brooklyn—Chicago 6, Brooklyn 5; at Boston—Cincinnati 1, Boston 5.

Western League: At Columbus—St. Paul 10, Columbus 17; at Detroit—Kansas City 3, Detroit 8; at Indianapolis—Mineapolis 4, Indianapolis 12; at Grand Rapids—Milwaukee 0, Grand Rapids 12 (Sunday) At Columbus—St. Paul 6, Columbus 2; at Grand Rapids—Milwaukee 16, Grand Rapids 7; at Detroit—Kansas City 12, Detroit 9.

Western Association: At Dubuque—Cedar Rapids 4, Dubuque 5; at St. Joseph—Des Moines 7, St. Joseph 8; at Burlington—Quincy 7, Burlington 8, at Rockford—Peoria 6, Rockford 5. (Sunday) At Dubuque—Cedar Rapids 18, Dubuque 14; at Rockford—Peoria 9, Rockford 6; at Burlington—Quincy 10, Burlington 9; at St. Joseph—Des Moines 2, St. Joseph 12.

KILLED BY THE LATEST AIRSHIP.

Aeronaut and Machinist Fall 3,000 Feet to the Earth.

Berlin, June 14.—Herr Woelfert, an aeronaut, accompanied by a machinist named Knabe, made an experimental ascent in a so-called steering airship from the Tempelhof Commer Saturday evening. When the balloon, which had been filled at the military ballooning establishment, had reached a height of 3,000 feet a loud explosion was heard and the next moment was seen to be ablaze.

The car, which was also on fire, detached itself from the burning silk and fell with fearful rapidity to the ground. Both of its occupants were found to be dead. Their bodies were horribly burned. It appears that the benzine used in the steering gear motor exploded, causing the disaster.

SUICIDE OF A STRANGE WOMAN.

She Steps Into a Church Vestibule and Puts a Bullet Into Her Brain.

New York, June 14.—While services were being held in Calvary church Saturday afternoon an unknown woman walked into the vestibule and killed herself by firing a bullet into her right temple. Death was instantaneous. A number of persons were in the church at the time, most of them being women. Much excitement ensued, and the services were stopped. Some of the women fainted.

The suicide was apparently about 50 years of age, with white hair and a delicate, refined face. She was five feet six inches tall and weighed about 140 pounds. She wore a black brocade skirt, brown velvet waist, low shoes, almost new, and fancy black stockings with white checks.

Work of the Senate Saturday.

Washington, June 14.—The senate Saturday listened to a speech arraigning the sugar schedule, and saying that the speculators in sugar stock understood the value of the schedule to the trust, if the Republican senators did not. McEnery of Louisiana, who had voted against the party on many tariff schedules, then made a long speech in defense of his position and in favor of protection. A vote was taken on the Jones amendment to remove in effect the Dutch standard of classification, and it was rejected by 29 yeas to 32 nays.

Three propositions bearing on the Hawaiian treaty were presented for the consideration of the caucus. One was to abrogate the treaty entirely. The second was to give notice that the treaty would be abrogated in a year. The third was to admit Hawaiian sugars to our ports upon the payment of one-third the duty exacted from other countries.

Bryan on His Speaking Tour.

New York, June 14.—William Jennings Bryan arrived here about 4 p. m. Saturday, and was greeted by a large concourse of people. Within ten minutes the demand for a speech became so persistent that he had to respond briefly. Saturday night he took train for Norfolk, Va., where he is to speak today, and from there he will go west on a speaking tour clear across the continent.

It Rained Chunks of Ice.

Parkersburg, W. A., June 14.—A phenomenal hailstorm occurred Saturday east of this city. The storm showered broken ice from two to three inches long and an inch thick with such force that forest trees were denuded as completely as in midwinter and crops were totally destroyed for many miles.

Iowa Soldiers' Home Case.

Des Moines, Ia., June 14.—Judge Woolson took the case against the commissioners of the soldiers' home from the jury Saturday in the federal court and instructed for the defendants on the ground that the government had no case.

Illinois Uniform Rank K. of P.

Springfield, Ills., June 14.—The field, staff and line officers of the Illinois brigade of the Uniform Rank K. of P. [illegible]

PROFESSIONAL CARDS.

ATTORNEYS.

VALENTINE & ELLSWORTH, ATTORneys and Counselors at Law, Bowman building.

FRANK P. GRAVES—LAWYER, CORPORation, commercial. Rooms 4, 5 and 6, Conkey block.

PHYSICIANS.

B. G. WATSON, M. D., PHYSICIAN AND surgeon, Room 2, Graham Block. Diseases of stomach, liver and kidneys a specialty. Office hours, 8:30 to 9:30 a. m., 2 to 4 and 7 to 8 p. m. Tel. 45-4.

HARRIE M. CRANE, M.D. GYNECOLOGY Diseases of nervous system. Office hours 10 to 12, 2 to 4, 7 to 8. Residence, 386 Pipestone street. Office, Room 6, Jones & Sonner block.

H. V. TUTTON, M. D. PHYSICIAN AND Surgeon. Office Bell block, Benton Harbor. Hours 10 to 11:30 a. m., 2 to 4 and 7 to 8 p. m. Residence, corner Church and High streets.

F. A. VOTEY, M. D., PHYSICIAN AND SURgeon. Office, Jones & Sonner block Hours, 1 to 4:30 and 7 to 8 p. m. Residence, 31 Pipestone street. Telephone, 111, 1 ring.

E. S. ANTISDALE, PHYSICIAN AND SURgeon, Eye, Ear, Nose, Throat and Digestive organs. Glasses fitted. Hours, 9 to 12, 2 to 5, 7 to 8 Sunday, 12 to 1. Office over First National bank Benton Harbor

C. N. SOWERS, M. D., PHYSICIAN AND Surgeon. Office in Bell block; Residence, Hotel Higbee. Office hours, 9 to 11 a. m., 1 to 5 and 7 to 8 p. m.

DR. ELLEN MARIE OVIATT, HOMŒopathic physician. Office: 140 Pipestone St., Newland block; residence, 228 Pipestone St. Office hours, 8 to 9 a. m., and 1 to 3 and 7 to 8 p. m.

GEO. M. BELL, M.D. DISEASES OF CHILdren a specialty. Office over Bell's drug store. Hours 1 to 3 p. m. each day except Wednesday. Residence corner of Pipestone street and Britian avenue.

H. G. BARTLETT, M. D., BARODA, MICH Bridgman from 8 to 9 a. m. 497-3m

SURVEYOR.

E. C. HURD, SURVEYOR AND CIVIL ENgineer. Landscape designing a specialty Office in Graham Block. Residence, 391 East Main Street.

NURSE.

MRS. LEMON, PROFESSIONAL NURSE Room 5 second floor, Mills block.

MRS. G. VOSBURG, 158 HULL AVENUE an experienced nurse can furnish good reference, invites the public for their patronage 404tf

REAL ESTATE, INSURANCE, ETC.

A. L. LOOMIS, INSURANCE AGENT. Real Estate, Loans, Renting, Collections Etc., Notary Public. Room 6, Conkey block, Benton Harbor.

CRIBBS & JARVIS, REAL ESTATE Agents, Contractors and Builders, Loans. Property bought and sold. Office over Burridge's shoe store, Benton Harbor, Mich.

ROUNDS & WARNER, REAL ESTATE Loans and Insurance. Specialties in Michigan Fruit Farms and Benton Harbor City Property. 114 Water street, Benton Harbor

CURTIS & JENNINGS, REAL ESTATE Insurance, Collections, etc., Notary Public Room 4, Jones & Sonner block, Benton Harbor Mich.

WANT COLUMN.

WANTED—POSITION AS OFFICE MAN, with eight years' experience in banking and mercantile business. Best of references furnished. Call at THE NEWS office and see references and other particulars.
18t526 A. B. BROOKS.

WANTED-GIRL FOR GENERAL HOUSEwork. 272 Britain Ave. 522t6

WANTED—A GIRL FOR GENERAL housework. Small family. Apply at 245 Broadway. 6t521

WANTED—A LOCAL AGENT FOR THE Northwestern Benevolent society of Duluth for Benton Harbor. A paying agency for a hustler. Inquire at Hotel Higbee this week for L. B. Sheldon, district manager. 5t521

WANTED—AN EXPERIENCED GIRL for lunch room. Wages $3.50 per week. Call at this office. 6t520

WANTED—YOUNG OR MIDDLE-AGED man to travel in this and adjoining counties; permanent position; salary $50 a month and expenses, good chance for advancement. Address Sharp Publishing Company, 1030 Chestnut St., Philadelphia, Pa. 26t518

GOOD BOARD AND ROOM FOR $3 AND $3.50 per week at 104 Colfax avenue, B. H. Westcott 502tf

FOR SALE OR FOR RENT

THREE HIGH GRADE WHEELS FOR sale but little used. Two gentlemen's and one ladies'. Very cheap. Inquire at shoe shop under Foeltzer's store. 6t 524

FOR SALE—FARM OF 40 ACRES, PARTLY located in Benton Harbor city limits. Planted to fruit and trees. Price $20,000. This farm comprises some of the most desirable vacant property in the city. For particulars apply at this office.

FOR RENT—DOUBLE OR SINGLE stores. Best locality in the city. Barn and private house. Apply Louis C Mudge, 264 Britain avenue 6t521

FOR SALE—NEW FIVE ROOM COTTAGE, bath room, pantry, porches, cellar, cistern, well, fruit, fine view and location. One-third down, balance time. Address box 1265, city. 521-tf

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—MY RESIdence on Green avenue, business lots on West Main street, house and lot on Pearl street, real estate in Washington county, Florida, vacant lots and cottages at Paw Paw lake.
513tf H. B. VOLHEIM

FOR SALE.—DESIRABLE DWELLING and lot in Dowagiac. Fine property and nicely located. Address N. Klock, Holland, Mich. 509tf

FOR SALE—AT A BARGAIN TWO HOUses and lots in best residence part of the city. Enquire of C. H. Totzke, G. & M. dock. tf

FOR SALE—ALL VARIETIES OF VEGEtable plants including cabbages, tomatoes, sweet potatoes, peppers, cauliflowers, melons, tobacco and celery, also flowering plants. These plants may be found on sale at Herr Bros. Calkins and C J. Brown's. Call at house and get prices. Mrs. J. W. Dotey, Pipestone street, first house west of car barns. 502-tf

EGGS FOR SETTING—WHITE WYANdottes, Black Javas, Red Pile Games, Partridge Cochin, guaranteed thoroughbreds. $1 per setting. Leave orders at Austin's bakery. 477tf

FOR SALE—10 ROOM HOUSE, HOT AND cold water, bath and closet, horse barn and chicken house. $1,200, half cash F. J. Miller or P. W. Hall. 454tf

FOR RENT—FURNISHED ROOMS BY THE day, week or month. White House Buffet, 116 Territoria street. 371tf

PIANO AND ORGAN TUNING.

LINCOLN ROBINSON, PIANO AND ORgan tuner, lives here. Why not employ a home tuner? Absolute satisfaction guaranteed. Orders may be left at Frazell's or card in postoffice.

Ladies Hair Dressing.

Mrs. Lottie Hurlbut desires us to state that she has made an addition to her business in the treatment of the scalp and electric shampoo which is one of the finest treatments ever given for dandruff and falling out of the hair.

June 10 Mrs. Hurlbut will open bath rooms for the ladies where they can enjoy the [illegible]

[illegible]

..BANK..

Benton Harbor, - Mich

Capital $50,000. Surplus, $46,000

John Robinson, President. Chas. Foster, Cashier
R. M. Jones, Vice Pres. C. B. Winslow, Asst. Cash.

Directors—John Robinson, R. H. Sherwood William Stewart, A. Plummer, Edwin Brant O. B. Hipp, R. M. Jones, W. P. Robbins and Charles Foster.

Do a General Banking Business.

..Savings Department..

Interest paid on Deposits.

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK

Capital - $50,000.
Surplus 40,000.

Deposits received in any amount. Loans on approved collaterals. Choice investments made for depositors. Letters of credit and passage tickets furnished.

Interest Allowed on Time Deposits.

—DIRECTORS—

J. Stanley Morton, C. M. Edick.
S. A. Bailey, Milton Hinkley
James Bailey

JOHN BAUTE & SON

Practical Roofers. Tin, Iron, Steel, Asbestos and Felt

ROOFING

and Roof Painting and Repairing in connection with our foundry and Machine shop we deal in new and second hand

ENGINES and BOILERS

and machinery of all kinds. Also manufacturers of

Wood Split Pulleys, Collars, Couplers, Hangers and Shafting. Agents for the DAYTON GAS ENGINE the best in the market.

SECRET SOCIETIES

TRIBE OF BEN HUR, HARBOR COURT No. 2, meets alternate Monday nights, beginning April 12.
E. W. CARLEY, Chief,
MABEL GEER, Scribe.

BENTON DIVISION, COURT NO. 1, ORDER of Patricians, meets every Friday evening in Modern Woodmen hall.
JOHN SUFFRAGE, Justice.
W. H. ANDREWS, clerk.

KNIGHTS OF THE MACCABEES, BENTON Tent, No. 104, meet at Odd Fellows' hall Regular review second and fourth Fridays in each month.
G. W. FALES, Com.
R. P. CHADDOCK, R. K.

BENTON LODGE NO. 132, I. O. O. F., MEETS every Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock in their lodge room opposite the post office. All visiting brothers are cordially invited.
J. M. JENKINS, N. G.
GEORGE W. FALES, Secretary.

LADIES OF THE MACCABEES, BENTON Hive, No. 545, meet at Odd Fellow's hall, every two weeks Saturday nights, beginning January 9.
EMMA CANTRELL, Commander.
MARGARET MURRAY, Record Keeper.

WOODMEN OF THE WORLD—BANNER Camp No. 40 commencing April 30, meet every other Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock at G. A. R. hall on West Main street, Visiting sovereigns will be cordially received.
JOHN F. GERLING, Consul Commander.
JOHN F. HARPER, Clerk.

MODERN WOODMEN OF AMERICA, IVY Leaf Camp No 901 meets every Monday evening at the Woodmen Hall on West Main street, Visiting Woodmen will be cordially entertained.
B. L. HALL V. C.
N. G. WENELL Clerk.

S. M. WHITE
DENTIST
Jones & Sonner Block.

..HARNESS..

R. J. BAUSHKE
110 W. Main.

A full and complete line of

Summer ..Goods

THE BEST
Single Harness
You ever saw for
$10
See them before you buy.

LAP DUSTERS

FOR RENT

Front Basement Room in the Evening News Building.

J. F. NICHOLS
Still does Draying, also garden plowing.
Leave orders at Hopkins' Drug Store . . . . . .

Keep It Up

—the continual use of

Washburn, Grosby's

Gold Medal

insures the best baking. Absolutely pure; very economical. At all grocers.

Capacity of mills 16,000 barrels daily.

MADE BY

Washburn, Grosby Co.,
Minneapolis, Minn.

The Best That Tobacco Can Produce.

"BEN-HUR" CIGARS.

A COOL SWEET SATISFYING SMOKE THAT LEAVES A GRATEFUL REMEMBRANCE.

Sold by all dealers, 10c straight and 3 for 25c.

Manufactured by

GEO. MOEBS & CO.,
Detroit - Mich.

The Chicago Chronicle

IS FIRST OF ALL

A GREAT NEWSPAPER.

INCIDENTALLY it is an advocate of democracy, with no leaning toward populism or state socialism. The triumph of the republican party in the recent presidential election, as a result of the disruption of the democrats, devolves upon the latter the duty of reconciliation and reorganization on the lines of their own, and not some other party's, faith. To promote genuine democracy, to discountenance populism, and to resist the monopolistic tendencies of republicanism will be the political mission of THE CHRONICLE in the future as it has been in the past.

As a newspaper THE CHRONICLE will continue to be comprehensive and enterprising, sparing neither labor nor expense to make its reports of all noteworthy events of superior excellence, and covering exhaustively the entirely field of news, discovery, invention, industry and progress.

For one cent a day every family within five hundred miles of Chicago may have on the day of its publication a copy of a great daily newspaper, costing thousands of dollars to produce, a miracle of cheapness and value combined.

$3 PER YEAR FOR THE DAILY. POST-PAID.

TERMS TO SUBSCRIBERS:

Daily only, One Year........$3.00 | Sunday only, One Year......[illegible]
" " Six Months....... 1.50 | " " Six Months.... [illegible]
" " Three Months... .75 | " " Three Months. [illegible]
" " One Month....... .25 | " " One Month.... [illegible]

Daily and Sunday, $5.00 per year. Parts of a year, [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] Paradise a Picturesque [illegible] Curiosity Is Punished [illegible] That Does Not Belong to [illegible]

[illegible] June 13.—A new interpretation of the calamity in paradise is given [illegible] in this sermon, which is [illegible] practical lessons. The text is [illegible] "And when the woman saw [illegible] was good for food and that it [illegible] to the eyes, and a tree to be [illegible] make one wise, she took of the [illegible] and did eat, and gave also unto [illegible] with her, and he did eat."

[illegible] Saturday afternoon in the [illegible] existence. Every since sunrise [illegible] been watching the brilliant [illegible] of wings and scales and clouds, [illegible] lessons in zoology and ornithol[illegible] ology he has noticed that [illegible] the air in twos and that the [illegible] the water in twos and that the [illegible] the fields in twos and in the [illegible] of that Saturday after[illegible] off into slumber, and as if [illegible] to teach all ages that the great[illegible] blessings is sound sleep, this [illegible] somnolence ends with the dis[illegible] the part of Adam of a corre[illegible] intelligence just landed on a [illegible]. Of the mother of all the liv[illegible]—Eve, the first, the fairest and [illegible]

A Beautiful Garden.

[illegible] me a garden. I inlay the paths [illegible] moss, and I border them [illegible] from Ceylon and diamonds [illegible]. Here and there are foun[illegible] in the sunlight and ponds [illegible] under the paddling of the [illegible] I gather me lilies from the Ama[illegible] orange groves from the tropics [illegible] tamarinds from Goyaz. There are [illegible] and honeysuckle climbing over [illegible] and starred spaniels sprawling [illegible] on the grass. I invite amid [illegible] the larks, and the brown [illegible], and the robins, and all the bright[illegible] of heaven, and they stir the air [illegible] chirp and carol. And yet the [illegible] a desert filled with darkness and [illegible] as compared with the residence of [illegible] of the text, the subject of my [illegible]. Never since have such skies looked [illegible] through such leaves into such [illegible]. Never has river wave had such [illegible] and sheen and bank as adorned the [illegible] the Havilah, the Gihon, and the [illegible], even the pebbles being bdellium [illegible] stones! What fruits, with no [illegible] to sting the rind! What flowers, [illegible] slug to gnaw the root! What at[illegible], with no frost to chill and with [illegible] to consume! Bright colors tangled [illegible]. Perfume in the air. Music [illegible]. Great scenes of gladness and [illegible] joy.

[illegible] there under a bower of leaf and [illegible] shrub occurred the first marriage. [illegible] took the hand of this immaculate [illegible] of God and pronounced the cere[illegible] when he said, "Bone of my bone [illegible] of my flesh." A forbidden tree [illegible] the midst of that exquisite park. [illegible] sauntering out one day alone, looks up [illegible] and sees the beautiful fruit and [illegible] if it is sweet and wonders if it is [illegible] standing there says: "I think I [illegible] put my hand upon the fruit. It [illegible] no damage to the tree. I will not [illegible] fruit to eat, but I will just take [illegible] to examine it." She examined [illegible]. She said, "I do not think there [illegible] harm in my just breaking the [illegible]." She put the fruit to her teeth, [illegible], she allowed Adam also to taste [illegible], the door of the world opened, [illegible] monster sin entered. Let the [illegible] gather blackness, and the winds [illegible] bosom of the hills, and cavern, [illegible], and earth, and sky join in one [illegible] hell rending howl, "The world [illegible]

[illegible] that before were harmless and [illegible] play put forth claw and sting and [illegible] tusk. Birds whet their beak, [illegible] Clouds troop in the sky. Sharp [illegible] shoot up through the soft grass; [illegible] on the leaves. All the chords of [illegible] harmony are snapped. Upon [illegible] home this world ever saw [illegible] parents turned their backs and led [illegible] path of sorrow the brokenheart[illegible] of a ruined race.

Ruin In Curiosity.

[illegible] not see in the first place the [illegible] a poorly regulated inquisitive[illegible] wanted to know how the fruit [illegible] She found out, but 6,000 years [illegible] that unhealthful curiosity. [illegible] curiosity has done a great deal [illegible], for art, for science and for re[illegible] has gone down into the depths [illegible] with the geologist and seen [illegible] chapter of Genesis written in the [illegible], illustrated with engraving [illegible] and it stood with the antiquarian [illegible] blew the trumpet of resurrection [illegible] Herculaneum and Pompeii, [illegible] their sepulcher there came up [illegible] terrace and amphitheater. [illegible] curiosity has enlarged the tele[illegible] of the astronomer until worlds [illegible] distant heavens have trooped [illegible] have joined the choir praising [illegible]. Planet weighed against planet [illegible] comet lassoed with replen[illegible]. Healthful curiosity has gone [illegible] found the tracks of the eternal [illegible] polypi and the starfish under [illegible] the majesty of the great Jeho[illegible] under the gorgeous cur[illegible] the dahlia. It has studied the [illegible] sun, and the larva in a beech [illegible] light under a firefly's wing, [illegible] terrible eye glance of a condor [illegible] from Chimborazo. It has studied [illegible] of animalculæ that make up [illegible] phosphorescence in a ship's wake, and [illegible] mass of suns and spheres and [illegible] and galaxies that blaze on [illegible] of God. Healthful curiosity [illegible] the inventor until forces that [illegible] for ages came to wheels, and [illegible] shafts and shuttles—forces that [illegible] or swim the sea, or cleave the [illegible] until the earth jars and roars [illegible] and crackles and booms with [illegible] mechanism, and ships with nos[illegible] steam and yokes of fire draw [illegible] together.

[illegible] against healthful curi[illegible] it have other Leyden jars, [illegible] batteries, and other vol[illegible] and other magnifying glasses, [illegible] storm the barred castles of [illegible] world until it shall surrender [illegible]. We thank God for the geo[illegible] of Professor Hitchcock, [illegible] curiosity of Liebig, [illegible] curiosity of Cuvier, and [illegible] curiosity of Edison, but we [illegible] unhealthful and irregu[illegible] has rushed thousands [illegible] into ruin.

[illegible] the fruit. She was curi[illegible]

[illegible] reach, or have come out on limbs of the tree from which they have tumbled into ruin without remedy. A thousand trees of religious knowledge from which we may eat and get advantage, but from certain trees of mystery how many have plucked their ruin! Election, free agency, trinity, resurrection—in the discussion of these subjects hundreds and thousands of people ruin the soul. There are men who actually have been kept out of the kingdom of heaven because they could not understand who Melchisedec was not!

Like Dead Sea Fruit.

Oh, how many have been destroyed by an unhealthful inquisitiveness! It is seen in all directions. There are those who stand with the eye stare and mouth gape of curiosity. They are the first to hear a falsehood, build it another story high and two wings to it. About other people's apparel, about other people's business, about other people's financial condition, about other people's affairs, they are overanxious. Every nice piece of gossip stops at their door, and they fatten and luxuriate in the endless round of the great world of tittle tattle. They invite and sumptuously entertain at their house Colonel Twaddle and Squire Chitchat and Governor Smalltalk. Whoever hath an innuendo, whoever hath a scandal, whoever hath a valuable secret, let him come and sacrifice it to this goddess of splutter. Thousands of Adams and Eves do nothing but eat fruit that does not belong to them, men quite well known as mathematicians failing in this computation of moral algebra—good sense plus good breeding, minus curiosity, equals minding your own affairs!

Then, how many young men through curiosity go through the whole realm of French novels to see whether they are really as bad as moralists have pronounced them. They come near the verge of the precipice just to look off. They want to see how far it really is down, but they lose their balance while they look and fall into remediless ruin, or, catching themselves, clamber up, bleeding and ghastly, on the rock, gibbering with curses or groaning ineffectual prayer. By all means encourage healthful inquisitiveness; by all means discourage ill regulated curiosity.

This subject also impresses me with the fact that fruits that are sweet to the taste may afterward produce great agony. Forbidden fruit for Eve was so pleasant she invited her husband also to take of it. But her banishment from paradise and 6,000 years of sorrow and wretchedness and war and woe paid for that luxury. Sin may be very sweet at the start, and it may induce great wretchedness afterward. The cup of sin is sparkling at the top, but there is death at the bottom. Intoxication has great exhilaration for awhile, and it fillips the blood, and it makes a man see five stars where others can see only one star, and it makes the poor man rich, and turns cheeks which are white red as roses. But what about the dreams that come after, when he seems falling from great heights or is prostrated by other fancied disasters and the perspiration stands on the forehead—the night dew of everlasting darkness—and he is ground under the horrible hoof of nightmares shrieking with lips that crackle with all consuming torture? "Rejoice, O young man, in thy youth, and let thy heart cheer thee in the days of thy youth! But know thou that for all these things God will bring thee into judgment!" Sweet at the start, horrible at the last. Go into that hall of revelry, where ungodly mirth staggers and blasphemes. Listen to the senseless gabble. See the last trace of intelligence dashed out from faces made in God's own image. "Aha, aha!" says the roistering inebriate. "This is joy for you. Fill high your cups, my boys. I drink to my wife's misery, and my children's rags, and my God's defiance." And he knows not that a fiend stirs the goblet in his hand and that adders uncoil from the dregs and thrust their forked tongues hissing through the froth on the rim. The Philistines jeered and laughed and shouted at Samson. Oh, they wanted him to make sport for them, and he made sport for them! How bright and gay was the scene for a little while! After awhile the giant puts one hand against this pillar and the other hand against that pillar and bows himself, and 3,000 merrymakers are mashed like grapes in a winepress. Sin rapturous at the start, awful at the last.

A Staggering Blow.

That one Edenic transgression did not seem to be much, but it struck a blow which to this day makes the earth stagger. To find out the consequences of that one sin you would have to compel the world to throw open all its prison doors and display the crime, and throw open all its hospitals and display the disease, and throw open all the insane asylums and show the wretchedness, and open all the sepulchers and show the dead, and open all the doors of the lost world and show the damned. That one Edenic transgression stretched chords of misery across the heart of the world and struck them with dolorous wailing, and it has seated the plagues upon the air, and the shipwrecks upon the tempest, and fastened, like a leech, famine to the heart of the sick and dying nations. Beautiful at the start, horrible at the last. Oh, how many have experienced it!

Are there here those who are votaries of pleasure? Let me warn you, my brother. Your pleasure boat is far from shore, and your summer day is ending roughly, for the winds and the waves are loud voiced, and the overcoming clouds are all awrithe and agleam with terror. You are past the Narrows, and almost outside the Hook, and if the Atlantic take thee, frail mortal, thou shalt never get to shore again. Put back, row swiftly, swifter, swifter! Jesus from the shore casteth a rope. Clasp it quickly, now or never. Oh, are there not some of you who are freighting all your loves and joys and hopes upon a vessel which shall never reach the port of heaven? Thou nearest the breakers. One heave upon the rocks. Oh, what an awful crash was that! Another lunge may crush thee beneath the spars or grind thy bones to powder amid the torn timbers. Overboard for your life, overboard! Trust not that loose plank nor attempt the wave, but quickly clasp the feet of Jesus walking on the watery pavement, shouting until he hear thee, "Lord, save me or I perish!" Sin beautiful at the start—oh, how sad, how distressful, at the last! The ground over which it leads you is hollow. The fruit it offers to your taste is poison. The promise it makes to you is a lie. Over that ungodly banquet the keen sword of God's judgment hangs, and there are ominous handwritings on the walls.

Observe also in this subject how repelling sin is when appended to great attractiveness. Since Eve's death there has been no such perfection of womanhood. You could not suggest an attractiveness to the [illegible]

[illegible] the fruit she launched upon the world the crime, the wars, the tumults that have set the universe a-wailing.

Fatal Charms.

A terrible offset to all her attractiveness. We are not surprised when we find men and women naturally vulgar going into transgression. We expect that people who live in the ditch shall have the manners of the ditch, but how shocking when we find sin appended to superior education and to the refinements of social life! The accomplishments of Mary, queen of Scots, make her patronage of Darnley, the profligate, the more appalling. The genius of Catherine II of Russia only sets forth in more powerful contrast here unappeasable ambition. The translations from the Greek and the Latin by Elizabeth and her wonderful qualifications for a queen make the more disgusting her capriciousness of affection and her hotness of temper. The greatness of Byron's mind makes the more alarming Byron's sensuality.

Let no one think that refinement of manner or exquisiteness of taste or superiority of education can in any wise apologize for ill temper, for an oppressive spirit, for unkindness, for any kind of sin. Disobedience Godward and transgression manward can give no excuse. Accomplishment heaven high is no apology for vice hell deep.

My subject also impresses me with the regal influence of woman. When I see Eve with this powerful influence over Adam and over the generations that have followed, it suggests to me the great power all women have for good or for evil. I have no sympathy, nor have you, with the hollow flatteries showered upon woman from the platform and the stage. They mean nothing; they are accepted as nothing. Woman's nobility consists in the exercise of a Christian influence, and when I see this powerful influence of Eve upon her husband and upon the whole human race I make up my mind that the frail arm of woman can strike a blow which will resound through all eternity down among the dungeons or up among the thrones.

Woman and Home.

Of course I am not speaking of representative women—of Eve, who ruined the race by one fruit picking; of Jael, who drove a spike through the head of Sisera, the warrior; of Esther, who overcame royalty; of Abigail, who stopped a host by her own beautiful prowess; of Mary, who nursed the world's Saviour; of Grandmother Lois, immortalized in her grandson Timothy; of Charlotte Corday, who drove the dagger through the heart of the assassin of her lover, or of Marie Antoinette, who by one look from the balcony of her castle quieted a mob, her own scaffold the throne of forgiveness and womanly courage. I speak not of these extraordinary persons, but of those who, unambitious for political power, as wives and mothers and sisters and daughters attend to the thousand sweet offices of home.

When at last we come to calculate the forces that decided the destiny of nations, it will be found that the mightiest and grandest influence came from home, where the wife cheered up despondency and fatigue and sorrow by her own sympathy, and the mother trained her child for heaven, starting the little feet on the path to the celestial city, and the sisters by their gentleness refined the manners of the brother, and the daughters were diligent in their kindness to the aged, throwing wreaths of blessing on the road that leads father and mother down the steep of years. God bless our homes! And may the home on earth be the vestibule of our home in heaven, in which place may we all meet—father, mother, son, daughter, brother, sister, grandfather and grandmother and grandchild, and the entire group of precious ones of whom we must say in the words of transporting Charles Wesley:

One family, we dwell in him;
 One church above, beneath.
Though now divided by the stream—
 The narrow stream of death—
One army of the living God,
 To his command we bow.
Part of the host have crossed the flood,
 And part are crossing now.

A Husband Wanted.

The queen regent of Spain has a marriageable daughter on her hands. Mercedes, princess of the Asturias, is now 17, and propositions for her hand have been already considered at the Spanish court. For six months before the birth of the king Mercedes, who was named for the first wife of her father, was a daisy queen of Spain. But little Alphonso XIII appeared on the scene, and she was given a back seat. It is but a sorry outlook for the two girls who were born to Queen Christina before this little son. Mercedes, being the elder, should marry first, but she is not pretty, and, Spain being in a terrible financial condition, the chances for a speedy alliance for her are slim. The second daughter is sweet 16 and quite an attractive little person. The Princess of the Asturias rides a bicycle and tries to have as good a time as she can under the circumstances, but matters are mighty onsartin for the royal family, and it would not be the strangest thing in the world if some day they packed up and went to Paris for a long stay.—Boston Herald.

Law and the Dry Rot.

On a railroad in Pennsylvania stand 32 Pullman palace cars, closely guarded day and night by watchmen whose only duty it is to see that no one interferes with the process of decay and despoliation which the elements have inaugurated. The cars are the property of the Pennsylvania Railroad company and represent an outlay of about $400,000. These handsome coaches have been dragged through the slow and tortuous processes of litigation for over five years. Both the railroad and the Pullman company have claims on the cars, and until a final decision is rendered in the courts these magnificent vehicles of travel by rail are left to rot and crumble in the open air. They will soon be unfit for any use except kindling wood and old scrap iron.—Exchange.

Salary No Object.

The centenary of the consecration of Bishop Bass of Massachusetts, which was celebrated recently, recalls some anecdotes of the bishop. He refused to live in Dorchester because the brooks there were "not large enough for bass to swim in." His first marriage displeased his parishioners, whereupon he preached to them a sermon from the text, "They will slay me for my wife's sake." His parishioners would often get in arrears with his salary, which never was more than $500. When the treasury was so low as to become hopeless, they would call upon him and ask [illegible]

ND STEAMBOATS.

Schedule of Time and Excursion Rates.

Excursion Rates

THE BIG FOUR.

Account of the Junior Order United American Mechanics National Council, Pittsburg, Pa., June 15 to 19, '97.

For the above occasion the Big Four will sell round trip excursion tickets at one lowest first class one way fare, tickets on sale June 12, 13 and 14, 1897. Final return limit June 21, 1897.

Account of Young People's Christian Union, Universalist Church, Detroit, Mich., July 6 to 18, '97.

The Big Four Railroad Co. will sell round trip excursion tickets at one first class one way fare. Tickets on sale July 5 and 6, 1897. Final return limit July 14.

31st National Encampment, G. A. R.

The "Big Four Route" is well known to the "Boys in Blue" and is their favorite route to all National Encampments. The Very Low Rate of One Cent per Mile each way will be in effect on all parts of its system and the superior through train service to Buffalo from Peoria, St. Louis, Louisville Indianapolis, Cincinnati, Dayton, Springfield, Columbus and intermediate points via Cleveland, or via Toledo and Detroit, has placed the "Big Four" in the lead. Full information will be cheerfully given by any agent upon application.

Tennessee Centennial.

The great southern exposition has created great interest throughout the country and applications are being made as to the best route to reach this great southern city. The "Big Four" has the best line from the east with through train service to Cincinnati from New York, Boston, Buffalo, Cleveland and Columbus; from Detroit, Toledo and Sandusky to Cincinnati: and from Chicago and Benton Harbor to Cincinnati and Louisville. Direct connections are made with the Q. & C. route and the L. & N. Ry Full information will be cheerfully given upon application.

Epworth League Convention.

The "Big Four Route" will name special low rates for this convention and calls attention to superiority of its line from St. Louis, Peoria, Indianapolis, Cincinnati, Dayton, Springfield, Columbus, via Cleveland, Buffalo and Niagara Falls to Toronto, or via Toledo and Detroit. Apply for full particulars.

For the Baptist Young People's Union of America to its annual convention "The Big Four Route" will name rate of one fare for round trip from all points on its system. From the east through trains run to Cincinnati, making direct connection with the Q. & C. route and the L. & N. Ry. in Central Union depot. From the north a choice of routes is offered via Cincinnati or Louisville. For rates, routes, and full information call on any representative of the Big Four route.

Account of the annual convention of the Young People's Christian Union at Indianapolis, Ind., August 18 to 23, 1897. The Big Four railway company will sell round trip excursion tickets at one lowest first class one way fare. Tickets on sale August 17 to 18. Final return limit August 24.

Account of the national republican league of United States at Detroit, Mich. The Big Four railway company will sell round trip tickets at one lowest first class fare. Tickets on sale July 12 and 13. Final return limit July 16.

Account of the German Epworth League, M. E. church, convention to be held in Cincinnati, Ohio, July 22 to 25, 1897, the Big Four will sell round trip excursion tickets at one lowest first class fare. Tickets on sale July 21 and 22. Final return limit July 26.

L. G. SMITH, Agent.

How Trains Run

WEST MICHIGAN.

CHICAGO & WEST MICHIGAN RAILWAY.
In effect Sept 27, 1896.

Going South			Stations.	Going North		
a.m.	p.m.	p.m.		p.m.	a.m.	a.m.
9:30	1:25	11:30	Grand Rapids	1:35	10:20	6:00
11:35	3:15	2:25	Benton H'bor	10:50	7:30	[illegible]
12:05	3:37	2:45	St. Joseph	10:15	7:05	[illegible]
3:00	6:30	6:00	Chicago	7:15	5:00	11:30
p.m.	p.m.	a.m.		a.m.	p.m.	p.m.

GEO. DeHAVEN, Gen. Pass. Agt., Grand Rapids.
JAS. MARCHANT, Agt., Benton Harbor.

DETROIT, GD. RAPIDS & WESTERN, R. R.

Trains leave Grand Rapids for Lansing and Detroit at 7:00 a.m., 1:30 p.m. and 5:25 p.m. For Saginaw at 7:10 a.m. and 4:20 p.m. Parlor cars on all trains: seats 25 cents.

THE BIG FOUR.

C. C. C. & ST. L. RAILWAY.
MICHIGAN DIVISION.

No. 26 leaves Benton Harbor at 7:00 a.m. for Indianapolis, Louisville, Cincinnati and intermediate points. No. 22 leaves at 1:00 p.m. for Indianapolis, Louisville, Cincinnati and intermediate points. No. 27 leaves at 5:50 p.m. Elkhart accommodation. Arrive at Benton Harbor: No. 25 8:50 a.m. No. 23, 2:10 p.m. No. 26, 6:40.

VANDALIA.

Taking effect January, 18th, 1897, trains will leave St. Joseph, Mich., daily except Sunday as follows:

Northbound Trains. No. 14.	No. 6.	Stations.	Southbound Trains. No. 11.	No. 1.
a.m.	p.m.		a.m.	p.m.
9 40	2 15	Ar. St. Joseph Lv.	10 45	5 20
9 17	1 51	Baroda	11 08	5 42
8 56	1 30	Galien	11 28	6 03
8 20	12 53	South Bend	12 08	6 41
7 32	12 05	Plymouth	12 55	7 29
6 05	10 37	Logansport	2 10	8 56
a.m.	6 20	Terre Haute	6 20	p.m.
	7 10	Indianapolis	5 45	
	3 30	Lv. Cincinnati Ar.	9 05	
	a.m.		p.m.	

For complete time card giving all trains and stations, and for full information as to rates, through cars, etc., address

FRANK R. HALE, Agent, St. Joseph, Mich.
E. A. FORD, Gen. Pass. Agt., St. Louis, Mo.

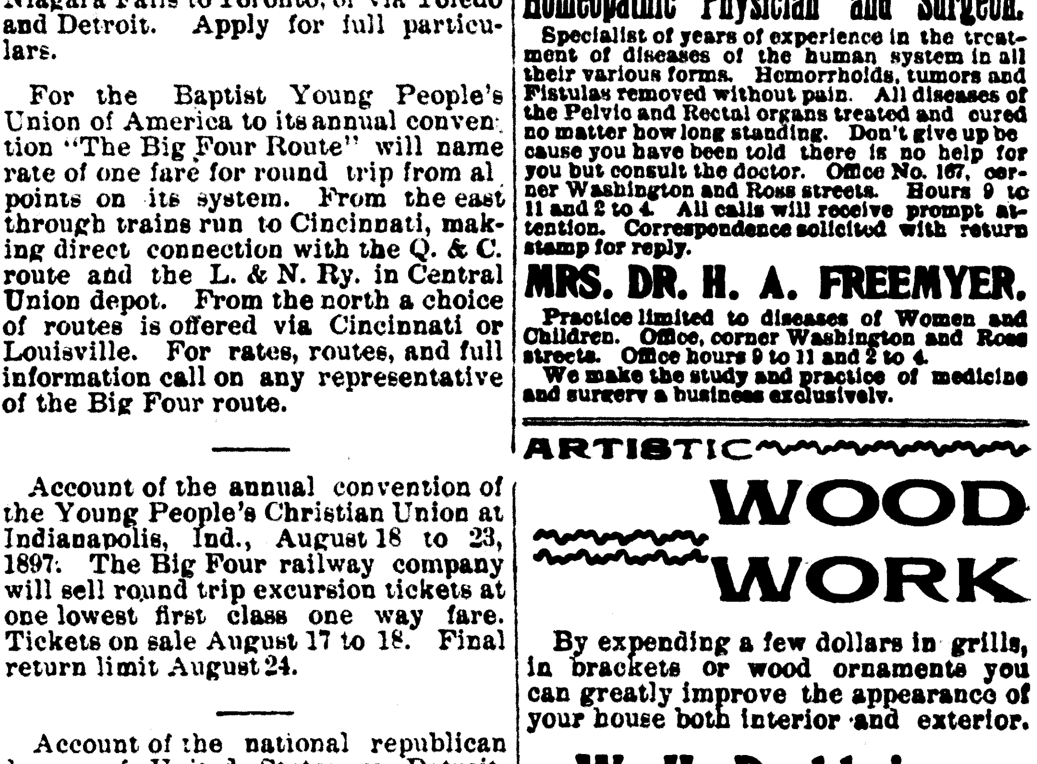
Seely McCord..
Manufacturer of
Brick and Drain Tile...
Dealer in
Lime, Hair, Cement, etc.
Office on C. & W. M. Tracks at Paw Paw Ave
Telephone 62-2 rings.

Dr. Freemyer,
Homeopathic Physician and Surgeon.
Specialist of years of experience in the treatment of diseases of the human system in all their various forms. Hemorrhoids, tumors and Fistulas removed without pain. All diseases of the Pelvic and Rectal organs treated and cured no matter how long standing. Don't give up because you have been told there is no help for you but consult the doctor. Office No. 167, corner Washington and Ross streets. Hours 9 to 11 and 2 to 4. All calls will receive prompt attention. Correspondence solicited with return stamp for reply.
MRS. DR. H. A. FREEMYER.
Practice limited to diseases of Women and Children. Office, corner Washington and Ross streets. Office hours 9 to 11 and 2 to 4.
We make the study and practice of medicine and surgery a business exclusively.

ARTISTIC
WOOD
WORK
By expending a few dollars in grills, in brackets or wood ornaments you can greatly improve the appearance of your house both interior and exterior.
W. H. Berkheiser
159 West Main Sreet.
Five horse steam engine for sale.

Fred H. Null
INSTRUCTOR.......
...Piano, Organ and Cornet...
Terms made known and orders left at Frazell's Music Store.

GRAHAM & MORTON TRANSPORTATION CO.



STEAMER LINES FROM
Benton Harbor and St. Joseph to Chicago and Milwaukee.
The steel side wheel steamers, "CITY OF CHICAGO" and "CITY OF MILWAUKEE," the new propeller "CITY OF LOUISVILLE" and the Steamer "FRANK WOODS."
Beginning May 30 and until further notice the following schedule will be observed on the Chicago Division:

Leave Benton Harbor	Leave St. Joseph	Arrive Chicago		Leave Chicago	Arrive St. Joseph	Arrive Benton Harbor
1:00 p.m. daily ex Sat. & Sun	4:30 p.m. daily	8:30 p.m. daily		9:30 a.m. daily	1:30 p.m. daily	2:30 p.m. daily
8:30 p.m. daily Inc. Sunday	10:30 p.m. daily Inc. Sunday	4:00 a.m. daily		11:30 p.m. daily Inc. Sunday	4:00 a.m. daily	5:30 a.m. daily
7:00 p.m. Saturday only	8:00 a.m. Saturday only	12:00 noon Saturday only		10:00 a.m. Sunday only	2:00 p.m. Sunday only	
	6:00 p.m. Sunday only	10:00 p.m. Sunday only		2:00 p.m. Saturday only	6:00 p.m. Saturday only	7:00 p.m. Sat.

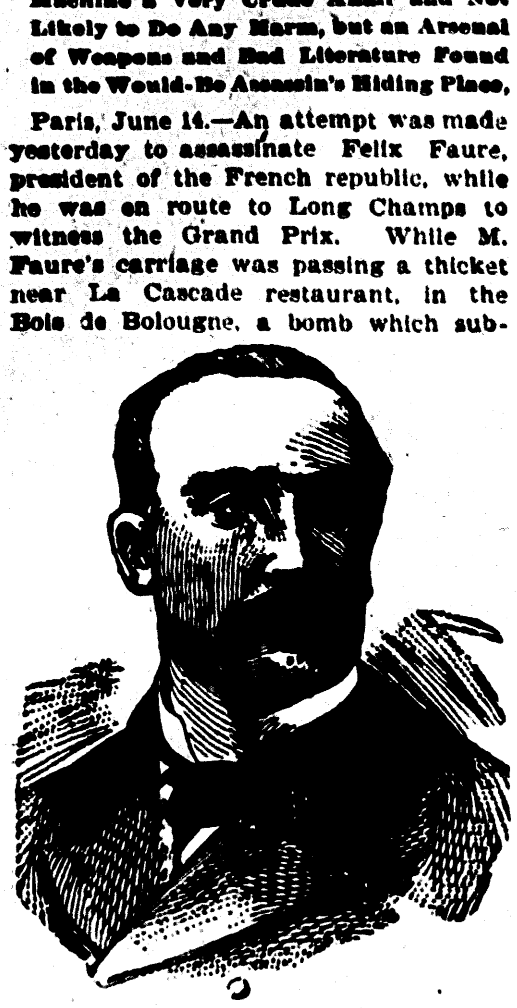
Tri-weekly steamers to Milwaukee, leaving Benton Harbor at 7 p.m., St. Joseph at 9 p.m. Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays. [illegible]
DOCKS [illegible]

The Job of Overseeing the Republic of France.

ATTEMPT TO ASSASSINATE FAURE.

Bomb Exploded "At" Him as He Drove to the Race for the Grand Prix—Infernal Machine a Very Crude Affair and Not Likely to Do Any Harm, but an Arsenal of Weapons and Bad Literature Found in the Would-Be Assassin's Hiding Place.

Paris, June 14.—An attempt was made yesterday to assassinate Felix Faure, president of the French republic, while he was en route to Long Champs to witness the Grand Prix. While M. Faure's carriage was passing a thicket near La Cascade restaurant, in the Bois de Bolougne, a bomb which subsequently proved to be a piece of tubing about six inches long and two inches in diameter, with a thickness of half an inch, charged with powder and swan shot, exploded. No one was injured by the explosion. A man in the crowd suspected as the prime mover was arrested. He gave his name as Gallet, and made only the briefest replies to questions put to him by the police.



PRESIDENT FAURE.

Gallet said that he had no occupation, but resided at Levallers-Perret. The police are making a thorough search of his lodgings. He is believed to be insane, for he shouted as the carriage passed along so loudly as to attract general attention in the crowd.

Real Villain Probably Got Away.

The police have also made another arrest, in this case a youth, but it is thought probable that the actual culprit escaped. The news of the attempt spread like wild-fire through the city, and when M. Faure returned to the Elysee the streets along the route where it was known he would drive were crowded with people who cheered him vociferously. It was at first reported that the would-be assassin was a young man about 25, who stood in the crowd a hundred yards or more from the race course and discharged a pistol at M. Faure as he drove up to the entrance, and there was a subsequent report that both pistol and bomb were used. But the police now believe that the supposed pistol shot was merely the noise of the bomb.

Not Much Danger in the Bomb.

The bomb was a clumsily made affair to which a piece of fuse was attached, and the fuse was probably lighted by a paper fixed in the end of a stick as soon as the head of the procession came in view. The presumption is that at the moment the fuse was lighted the culprit fled, and in any case the bomb could not have done much harm. In the thicket where the police found the remnants of the bomb, they found a pistol on which were engraved the words "Mort a Felix Faure," and the names Alsace-Lorraine and Cologne. Near the pistol was a small dagger bearing a similar threatening inscription and a few feet away the police found a newspaper with a cartoon grossly insulting to the president. This contained an offensive inscription hinting at the execution of M. Faure.

Crowd Mobs a Policeman.

The correspondent of the Associated Press had an interview with an official who was riding with M. Faure. The official said: "When the report was heard a dense cloud of smoke rose from the thicket and there was consternation until it was found that no one had been injured. The police sprang forward, but found the thicket deserted. When the crowd saw one of the policemen holding the bomb they jumped to the conclusion that he was the perpetrator of the outrage, and handled him roughly, clubbing him with heavy walking sticks and umbrellas until his comrades rescued him, badly bruised and covered with blood. The president's cortege then proceeded to the race course."

SPOT IS NOTED FOR SUCH CRIMES.

Previous Attempt on Faure's Life at the Same Place—Suggestion of an Editor.

This attempt on the life of M. Faure was made on the very spot where Berezowsky tried to shoot the czar while he was driving to the military review at Long Champs in 1867, and where Francois, a lunatic, fired his revolver at M. Faure on July 14 last. Having this in mind the police took extra precautions. Special officers were detailed to watch suspects and to search houses known to be the resorts of dangerous characters. The roadway had been clear for some time. The presidential escort was led by two dragoons holding their pistols forward in the most threatening way. Then came a large body of dragoons, and after them, in the midst of a cloud of dust, the president's open carriage with outriders. The president was accompanied by his wife, while in another carriage were his two daughters, Mlle. Lucie Faure and Mme. Berge.

The horses attached to M. Faure's carriage reared wildly at the explosion, but were whipped on by Montjarret's vigorous arm. Rousteaux, the detective who is always with the president, rushed forward and grappled with a man, but was immediately set upon by a half dozen persons in the crowd, probably accomplices of the would-be assassin. The crowd mistook the detective for an anarchist and was about to lynch him. He was [illegible] [illegible] Saturday the Petite Republique Francais published a statement declaring that the police were busy organizing an incident for M. Faure's visit to Russia, suggesting that a nimble clown would be dressed in rags and jump upon the step of the president's carriage brandishing a homicidal weapon.

BALTIMORE CONTINUES TO LEAD.

Oriole City Men Improve Their Hold on the Base Ball Lead.

Chicago, June 14.—The Baltimore club of the National Base Ball League looks like a winner again at this stage of the game. The husky ball-thumpers of that aggregation are still at the top of the class and have increased their percentage of lead. Cincinnati has given up second place to Boston and Pittsburg has tumbled from fourth place to eighth, as follows:

	Played.	Won.	Lost.	P. C.
Baltimore	38	29	9	.763
Boston	40	28	12	.700
Cincinnati	39	25	14	.641
New York	36	20	16	.556
Philadelphia	43	23	20	.535
Brooklyn	40	21	19	.525
Cleveland	39	19	20	.487
Pittsburg	39	19	20	.487
Louisville	40	17	23	.425
Chicago	41	16	25	.390
Washington	38	13	25	.324
St. Louis	43	8	35	.186

Following are the latest League scores: At Washington—Pittsburg 2, Washington 4; at Baltimore—Louisville 6, Baltimore 15; at New York—St. Louis 2, New York 9; at Philadelphia—Cleveland 0, Philadelphia 5; at Brooklyn—Chicago 6, Brooklyn 5; at Boston—Cincinnati 1, Boston 5.

Western League: At Columbus—St. Paul 10, Columbus 17; at Detroit—Kansas City 3, Detroit 8; at Indianapolis—Mineapolis 4, Indianapolis 12; at Grand Rapids—Milwaukee 0, Grand Rapids 12 (Sunday) At Columbus—St. Paul 6, Columbus 2; at Grand Rapids—Milwaukee 16, Grand Rapids 7; at Detroit—Kansas City 12, Detroit 9.

Western Association: At Dubuque—Cedar Rapids 4, Dubuque 5; at St. Joseph—Des Moines 7, St. Joseph 8; at Burlington—Quincy 7, Burlington 8, at Rockford—Peoria 6, Rockford 5. (Sunday) At Dubuque—Cedar Rapids 18, Dubuque 14; at Rockford—Peoria 9, Rockford 6; at Burlington—Quincy 10, Burlington 9; at St. Joseph—Des Moines 2, St. Joseph 12.

KILLED BY THE LATEST AIRSHIP.

Aeronaut and Machinist Fall 3,000 Feet to the Earth.

Berlin, June 14.—Herr Woelfert, an aeronaut, accompanied by a machinist named Knabe, made an experimental ascent in a so-called steering airship from the Tempelhof Commer Saturday evening. When the balloon, which had been filled at the military ballooning establishment, had reached a height of 3,000 feet a loud explosion was heard and the next moment was seen to be ablaze.

The car, which was also on fire, detached itself from the burning silk and fell with fearful rapidity to the ground. Both of its occupants were found to be dead. Their bodies were horribly burned. It appears that the benzine used in the steering gear motor exploded, causing the disaster.

SUICIDE OF A STRANGE WOMAN.

She Steps Into a Church Vestibule and Puts a Bullet Into Her Brain.

New York, June 14.—While services were being held in Calvary church Saturday afternoon an unknown woman walked into the vestibule and killed herself by firing a bullet into her right temple. Death was instantaneous. A number of persons were in the church at the time, most of them being women. Much excitement ensued, and the services were stopped. Some of the women fainted.

The suicide was apparently about 50 years of age, with white hair and a delicate, refined face. She was five feet six inches tall and weighed about 140 pounds. She wore a black brocade skirt, brown velvet waist, low shoes, almost new, and fancy black stockings with white checks.

Work of the Senate Saturday.

Washington, June 14.—The senate Saturday listened to a speech arraigning the sugar schedule, and saying that the speculators in sugar stock understood the value of the schedule to the trust, if the Republican senators did not. McEnery of Louisiana, who had voted against the party on many tariff schedules, then made a long speech in defense of his position and in favor of protection. A vote was taken on the Jones amendment to remove in effect the Dutch standard of classification, and it was rejected by 29 yeas to 32 nays.

Three propositions bearing on the Hawaiian treaty were presented for the consideration of the caucus. One was to abrogate the treaty entirely. The second was to give notice that the treaty would be abrogated in a year. The third was to admit Hawaiian sugars to our ports upon the payment of one-third the duty exacted from other countries.

Bryan on His Speaking Tour.

New York, June 14.—William Jennings Bryan arrived here about 4 p. m. Saturday, and was greeted by a large concourse of people. Within ten minutes the demand for a speech became so persistent that he had to respond briefly. Saturday night he took train for Norfolk, Va., where he is to speak today, and from there he will go west on a speaking tour clear across the continent.

It Rained Chunks of Ice.

Parkersburg, W. A., June 14.—A phenomenal hailstorm occurred Saturday east of this city. The storm showered broken ice from two to three inches long and an inch thick with such force that forest trees were denuded as completely as in midwinter and crops were totally destroyed for many miles.

Iowa Soldiers' Home Case.

Des Moines, Ia., June 14.—Judge Woolson took the case against the commissioners of the soldiers' home from the jury Saturday in the federal court and instructed for the defendants on the ground that the government had no case.

Illinois Uniform Rank K. of P.

Springfield, Ills., June 14.—The field, staff and line officers of the Illinois brigade of the Uniform Rank, K. of P. [illegible]

PROFESSIONAL CARDS.

ATTORNEYS.

VALENTINE & ELLSWORTH, ATTORneys and Counselors at Law, Bowman building.

FRANK P. GRAVES—LAWYER, CORPORation, commercial. Rooms 4, 5 and 6, Conkey block.

PHYSICIANS.

B. G. WATSON, M. D., PHYSICIAN AND surgeon, Room 2, Graham Block. Diseases of stomach, liver and kidneys a specialty. Office hours, 8:30 to 9:30 a. m., 2 to 4 and 7 to 8 p. m. Tel. 45-4.

HARRIE M. CRANE, M.D. GYNECOLOGY Diseases of nervous system. Office hours 10 to 12, 2 to 4, 7 to 8. Residence, 386 Pipestone street. Office, Room 6, Jones & Sonner block.

H. V. TUTTON, M. D. PHYSICIAN AND Surgeon. Office Bell block, Benton Harbor. Hours 10 to 11:30 a. m., 2 to 4 and 7 to 8 p. m. Residence, corner Church and High streets.

F. A. VOTEY, M. D., PHYSICIAN AND SURgeon. Office, Jones & Sonner block. Hours, 1 to 4:30 and 7 to 8 p. m. Residence, 31 Pipestone street. Telephone, 111, 1 ring.

E. S. ANTISDALE, PHYSICIAN AND SURgeon, Eye, Ear, Nose, Throat and Digestive organs. Glasses fitted. Hours, 9 to 12, 2 to 5, 7 to 8 Sunday, 12 to 1. Office over First National bank Benton Harbor.

O. N. SOWERS, M. D., PHYSICIAN AND Surgeon. Office in Bell block; Residence Hotel Higbee. Office hours, 9 to 11 a. m., 1 to 5 and 7 to 8 p. m.

DR. ELLEN MARIE OVIATT, HOMŒOpathic physician. Office: 140 Pipestone St., Newland block; residence, 228 Pipestone St. Office hours, 8 to 9 a. m., and 1 to 3 and 7 to 8 p. m.

GEO. M. BELL, M.D. DISEASES OF CHILdren a specialty. Office over Bell's drug store. Hours 1 to 3 p. m. each day except Wednesday. Residence corner of Pipestone street and Britian avenue.

H. G. BARTLETT, M. D., BARODA, MICH Bridgman from 8 to 9 a. m. 497-3m

SURVEYOR.

E. C. HURD, SURVEYOR AND CIVIL ENgineer. Landscape designing a specialty. Office in Graham Block. Residence, 201 East Main Street.

NURSE.

MRS. LEMON, PROFESSIONAL NURSE Room 5 second floor, Mills block.

MRS. G. VOSBURG, 158 HULL AVENUE an experienced nurse can furnish good reference, invites the public for their patronage. 404tf

REAL ESTATE, INSURANCE, ETC.

A. L. LOOMIS, INSURANCE AGENT. Real Estate, Loans, Renting, Collections Etc., Notary Public. Room 6, Conkey block, Benton Harbor.

CRIBBS & JARVIS, REAL ESTATE Agents, Contractors and Builders, Loans. Property bought and sold. Office over Burridge's shoe store, Benton Harbor, Mich.

ROUNDS & WARNER, REAL ESTATE Loans and Insurance. Specialties in Michigan Fruit Farms and Benton Harbor City Property. 114 Water street, Benton Harbor.

CURTIS & JENNINGS, REAL ESTATE Insurance, Collections, etc., Notary Public Room 4, Jones & Sonner block, Benton Harbor Mich.

WANT COLUMN.

WANTED—POSITION AS OFFICE MAN, with eight years' experience in banking and mercantile business. Best of references furnished. Call at THE NEWS office and see references and other particulars.
18t526 A. B. BROOKS.

WANTED-GIRL FOR GENERAL HOUSEwork. 272 Britain Ave. 522t6

WANTED—A GIRL FOR GENERAL housework. Small family. Apply at 245 Broadway. 6t521

WANTED—A LOCAL AGENT FOR THE Northwestern Benevolent society of Duluth for Benton Harbor. A paying agency for a hustler. Inquire at Hotel Higbee this week for L. B. Sheldon, district manager. 5t521

WANTED—AN EXPERIENCED GIRL for lunch room. Wages $3.50 per week. Call at this office. 6t520

WANTED—YOUNG OR MIDDLE-AGED man to travel in this and adjoining counties; permanent position; salary $50 a month and expenses, good chance for advancement. Address SHARP PUBLISHING COMPANY, 1020 Chestnut St., Philadelphia, Pa. 26t518

GOOD BOARD AND ROOM FOR $3 AND $3.50 per week at 104 Colfax avenue. E. H. Westcott. 508tf

FOR SALE OR FOR RENT

THREE HIGH GRADE WHEELS FOR sale but little used. Two gentlemen's and one ladies'. Very cheap. Inquire at shoe shop under Foeltzer's store. 6t 524

FOR SALE—FARM OF 40 ACRES, PARTLY located in Benton Harbor city limits. Planted to fruit and trees. Price $20,000. This farm comprises some of the most desirable vacant property in the city. For particulars apply at this office.

FOR RENT—DOUBLE OR SINGLE stores. Best locality in the city. Barn and private house. Apply Louis C Mudge, 264 Britain avenue. 6t521

FOR SALE—NEW FIVE ROOM COTTAGE, bath room, pantry, porches, cellar cistern, well, fruit, fine view and location. One-third down, balance time. Address box 1255, city. 521-tf

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—MY RESIdence on Green avenue, business lots on West Main street, house and lot on Pearl street, real estate in Washington county, Florida, vacant lots and cottages at Paw Paw lake.
513tf H. B. VOLHEIM

FOR SALE.—DESIRABLE DWELLING and lot in Dowagiac. Fine property and nicely located. Address N. Klock, Holland, Mich. 509tf

FOR SALE—AT A BARGAIN TWO HOUses and lots in best residence part of the city. Enquire of C. H. Totzke, G. & M. dock. tf

FOR SALE—ALL VARIETIES OF VEGEtable plants including cabbages, tomatoes, sweet potatoes, peppers, cauliflowers, melons, tobacco and celery, also flowering plants. These plants may be found on sale at Herr Bros. Calkins and C J. Brown's. Call at house and get prices. Mrs. J. W. Dotey, Pipestone street, first house west of car barns. 502-tf

EGGS FOR SETTING—WHITE WYANdottes, Black Javas, Red Pile Games, Partridge Cochin, guaranteed thoroughbreds. $1 per setting. Leave orders at Austin's bakery. 477tf

FOR SALE—10 ROOM HOUSE, HOT AND cold water, bath and closet, horse barn and chicken house. $1,200, half cash. F. J. Miller or P. W. Hall. 454tf

FOR RENT—FURNISHED ROOMS BY THE day, week or month. White House Buffet, 116 Territoria street. 371tf

PIANO AND ORGAN TUNING.

LINCOLN ROBINSON, PIANO AND ORgan tuner, lives here. Why not employ a home tuner? Absolute satisfaction guaranteed. Orders may be left at Frazell's or card in post-office.

Ladies Hair Dressing.

Mrs. Lottie Hurlbut desires us to state that she has made an addition to her business in the treatment of the scalp and electric shampoo which is one of the finest treatments ever given for dandruff and falling out of the hair.

June 16 Mrs. Hurlbut will open bath rooms for the ladies where they can enjoy the luxury of an electric or plain bath. Attendant if desired. Every [illegible]

[illegible] BANK..
BENTON HARBOR, - MICH
Capital $50,000. Surplus, $45,000
JOHN ROBINSON, President. CHAS. FOSTER, Cashier
R. M. JONES, Vice Pres. C. B. WINSLOW, Asst. Cash.
DIRECTORS—John Robinson, R. H. Sherwood William Stewart, A. Plummer, Edwin Brant O. B. Hipp, R. M. Jones, W. P. Robbins and Charles Foster.
Do a General Banking Business.
..Savings Department..
Interest paid on Deposits.

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK
Capital - $50,000.
Surplus 40,000.
Deposits received in any amount. Loans on approved collaterals. Choice investments made for depositors. Letters of credit and passage tickets furnished.
Interest Allowed on Time Deposits.
—DIRECTORS—
J. STANLEY MORTON, C. M. EDICK.
S. A. BAILEY, MILTON HINKLEY
JAMES BALEY

JOHN BAUTE & SON
Practical Roofers, Tin, Iron, Steel, Asbestos and Felt
ROOFING
and Roof Painting and Repairing in connection with our foundry and Machine shop we deal in new and second hand
ENGINES and BOILERS
and machinery of all kinds. Also manufacturers of
Wood Split Pulleys, Collars, Couplers, Hangers and Shafting. Agents for the DAYTON GAS ENGINE the best in the market.

SECRET SOCIETIES

TRIBE OF BEN HUR, HARBOR COURT No. 2, meets alternate Monday nights, beginning April 12.
E. W. CARLEY, Chief,
MABEL GEER, Scribe.

BENTON DIVISION, COURT NO. 1, ORDER of Patricians, meets every Friday evening in Modern Woodmen hall.
JOHN SUFFRAGE, Justice.
W. H. ANDREWS, clerk.

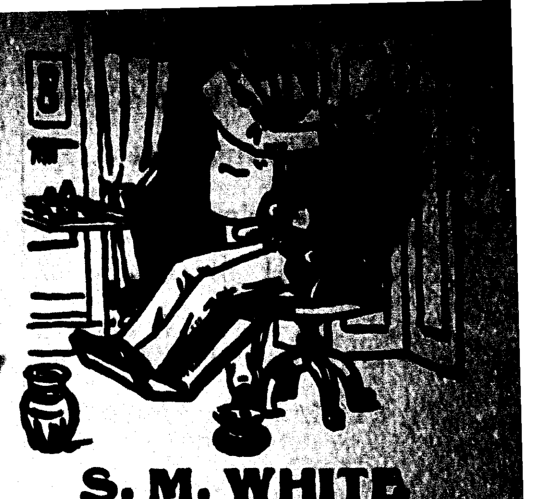
KNIGHTS OF THE MACCABEES, BENTON Tent, No. 104, meet at Odd Fellows' hall Regular review second and fourth Fridays in each month. G. W. FALBS, Com.
R. P. CHADDOCK, R. K.

BENTON LODGE NO. 132, I. O. O. F., MEETS every Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock in their lodge room opposite the post office. All visiting brothers are cordially invited.
J. M. JENKINS, N. G.
GEORGE W. FALBS, Secretary.

LADIES OF THE MACCABEES, BENTON Hive, No. 545, meet at Odd Fellow's hall every two weeks Saturday nights, beginning January 9.
EMMA CANTRELL, Commander.
MARGARET MURRAY, Record Keeper.

WOODMEN OF THE WORLD—BANNER Camp No. 40 commencing April 30, meet every other Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock at G. A. R. hall on West Main street. Visiting sovereigns will be cordially received.
JOHN F. GERLING, Consul Commander.
JOHN F. HARPER, Clerk.

MODERN WOODMEN OF AMERICA, IVY Leaf Camp No 901 meets every Monday evening at the Woodmen hall on West Main street. Visiting Woodmen will be cordially entertained. B. L. HALL V. C.
N. G. WENKLL Clerk.

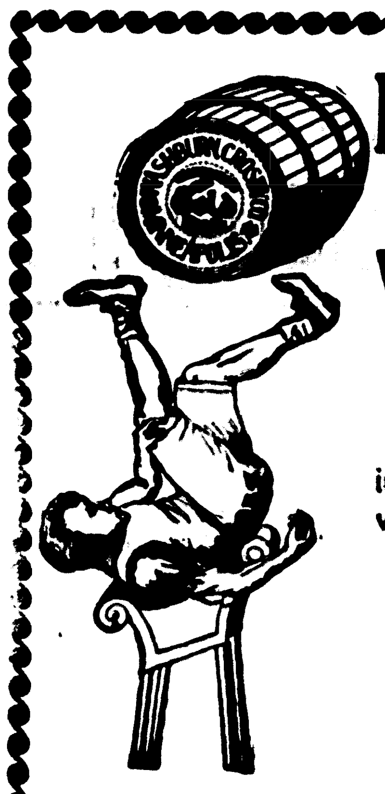


S. M. WHITE
DENTIST
Jones & Sonner Block.

..HARNESS..
R. J. BAUSHKE
110 W. Main.
A full and complete line of
Summer ..Goods
THE BEST
Single Harness
You ever saw for
$10
See them before you buy.
LAP DUSTERS

FOR RENT
Front Basement Room in the Evening News Building.

J. F. NICHOLS
Still does Draying, also garden plowing.
Leave orders at Hopkins' Drug Store . . . . . .



Keep It Up
—the continual use of
Washburn, Grosby's
Gold Medal
insures the best baking. Absolutely pure; very economical. At all grocers.
Capacity of mills 16,000 barrels daily.
MADE BY
Washburn, Grosby Co.,
Minneapolis, Minn.

The Best That Tobacco Can Produce.
"BEN-HUR" CIGARS.
A COOL SWEET SATISFYING SMOKE THAT LEAVES A GRATEFUL REMEMBRANCE.
Sold by all dealers, 10c straight and 3 for 25c.
Manufactured by
GEO. MOEBS & CO.,
Detroit - Mich.

The Chicago Chronicle
IS FIRST OF ALL
A GREAT NEWSPAPER.
INCIDENTALLY it is an advocate of democracy, with no leaning toward populism or state socialism. The triumph of the republican party in the recent presidential election, as a result of the disruption of the democrats, devolves upon the latter the duty of reconciliation and reorganisation on the lines of their own, and not some other party's, faith. To promote sound democracy, to discountenance populism, and to resist the monopolistic tendencies of republicanism will be the political mission of THE CHRONICLE in the future as it has been in the past.
As a newspaper THE CHRONICLE will continue to be comprehensive and enterprising, sparing neither labor nor expense to make its reports of all noteworthy events of superior excellence, and covering exhaustively the entirely field of news, discovery, invention, industry and progress.
For one cent a day every family within five hundred miles of Chicago may have on the day of its publication a copy of a great daily newspaper, costing thousands of dollars to produce, a miracle of cheapness and value combined.
$3 PER YEAR FOR THE DAILY. POST-PAID.
TERMS TO SUBSCRIBERS:
Daily only, One Year .... $3.00 | Sunday only, One Year ...... [illegible]
" " Six Months ...... 1.50 | " " Six Months ... [illegible]
" " Three Months ... .75 | " " Three Months [illegible]
" " One Month ...... .25 | " " One Month ... [illegible]
Daily and Sunday, $5.00 per year. Parts of a year, 50c per month.
[illegible]

's house is rapidly near-

is visiting Miss Imo-

is seriously ill. No one see her.

visited his family on yesterday.

Abbe has been quite ill was some better yester-

Collins has returned from where she attended a business

has returned from Chicago attended the Chicago Business

Oleson has returned from where he took a literary

large excursion came from Chicayesterday. They were as a whole orderly.

Casavan was thrown violentfrom his wheel yesterday but did hurt himself as badly as some

Moulton is having a handsome put up. It extends clear across of his store. Mr. Ward is

Reeves is very sick. He has indisposed for quite a while and to go the Battle Creek Sanitoday.

Mabel Ormsbee came home night to visit her mother. Ormsbee has a position in a phot-gallery in Chicago.

Methodist church held appropriexercises for Children's Day yesmorning. Rev. James Hamilton an excellent sermon to the chil-

Congregational church was filled night, the occasion being Chil-Day exercises. The large choir beautiful anthems. Russel Brown a cornet solo. Supt. Parker for a short time. A recitation rendered by Miss Stella Davis.

Beach, Grand Rapids, Sunday Excursion, June 20.

ready to spend the day at one of places. To make it easy, the C. M. R'y. will run a special train, Benton Harbor, at 8:10 a. m. train will leave Grand Rapids and 11:00 p. m. Leave Ottawa at 7:00 p. m.

trip rate to Ottawa Beach, Grand Rapids $1.00. Bicycles baby cabs free.

GEO. DEHAVEN, G. P. A.

Van Twiller's at Bird's drug store.

Have you tried Moebs' Pro Patra Worth 10c, sold for 5c. Stamped Patria. A cool, sweet, satisfying George Moebs & Co., manufacturers, Detroit.

Old papers for sale at this office.

Contractor's Notice.

Buildings moved and raised, foundaplaced. Safes, boilers and all machinery moved and set in by H. Potts. All work guarto be done in a first-class man-Drop a postal to H. Potts, Ben Harbor, Mich. 497t28

Telephone Notice.

Many people have expressed a desire subscribe for telephones who have made contracts. To these we wish to say that all conmust be made before June 20 if desired that your name appear in directory as we expect to isabout June 25.

Drop us a postal card and we will call

TWIN CITY TELEPHONE CO.
R. MORRILL. Sec.

Which is the best cigar? Van Twiller.

Old papers for sale at this office.

---

knocks a cold in one night. Ask for Nox at Bird's drug store. Satisfaction guar Price 25 cents.

Smoke Columbia 5 cent cigar.

---

knocks a cold in one night. Ask for Nox-at Bird's drug store. Satisfaction guar-Price 25 cents.

We connect gas stoves free of charge. and see the different styles we connected for display, prices from $6.00 to $25.00. Excelsior Co tf511

Try Van Twiller, smoke no other.

---

knocks a cold in one night. Ask for Nox-at Bird's drug store. Satisfaction-guar-Price 25 cents

---

Bargains for You.

One refrigerator, 1 copying press and 1 marine glass, 2 large bunting 1 daylight kodak, 1 electric fan revolves 16,000 times a minute; new, at one-half their value. at Bon Bon Candy store.

Spray Your Trees.

A good fruit crop only is secured by your trees. Now is the time. Kimball will spray one tree or a orchard. Leave orders at A. H. grocery store. 504 tf

---

given John Schairer the a-Benton Harbor for our Barley Whiskey. Distilled from malted it is rich and nutritious, and from all impurity. For the sick it is a true tonic.

& Co., Distillers. Louisville. Ky

Others Fail Consult

E. Brady, M. D.

SPECIALIST.

wonderful cures made by is establishing him as one of specialists of the day.

hours 9 a. m. to 8 p. m. Sun-p. m. Address

Brady M. D.

Don't Let Go

Of that mighty dollar of yours until you have seen the values we are giving. For when those dollars are scarce you want to make them go as far as possible and before you let them fly away be sure that you have got good value for every cent of it.

These are Times When You Can't Lay Up a Cent

But you can always save money and get just what you want by coming to us. We are after trade and if honest values and reasonable prices are any object to you in making purchases of Footwear don't overlook us. We are on the square and will use you level. Always a few moments ahead of our competitors. Yours, etc.

M. S. PECK...

..THE SHOEIST

109 Pipestone Street, Benton Harbor.

Very Special Values

..AT..

The New York Store

Men's Outing Flannel Shirts	at 19c each
Men's Laundried White Shirts	at 48c each
Men's and Boys' Sweaters, navy and maroon,	at 39c each
Men's Suspenders,	at 9c a pair

LADIES' SHIRT WAISTS and BELTS

Ladies' Shirt Waists,	at 19c, 48c, 59c, 89c and $1.48
Ladies' Belts,	at 10c, 19c, 25c and 50c

SILKS

China Silks for Waists	at 19c a yd.
Wash Silks for Waists	at 25c a yd.

BRIGHTEST BARGAINS IN

Ladies' Skirts,	at $1.49, $2 48 and $3.89

OUR SHOE DEPARTMENT

Is becoming very popular. Always showing styles that are up to date and pleasing.

PUTERBAUGH & RAPP

NEW YORK STORE. 107 Pipestone Street.

BUCKWHEAT

At 112 West Main street while you wait. Custom grinding a specialty.

We also keep Buckwheat Flour, Feed, etc., for sale.

H. P. BOEHM

CLOTHING

CLEANED and REPAIRED

Work guaranteed. Prices right. Give me a call or leave work at Enders & Young.

W. W. CHESLEY...

168 Pipestone Street.

Buy a Wheel

OF THE

ORIN CYCLE CO.

And Get Your Repairs At Home. All Kinds of Machine Repairs Neatly Done And Guaranteed.

Try a PICKWICK single tube TIRE, guaranteed one year.

Orin Cycle Co.

145 PIPESTONE STREET.

We have

Wall Paper, Paints, Oils, Varnishes, Glass, Pictures, Picture Frames, Room Moulding, Etc.

We do

Paper Hanging, Painting, Glazing, Wall Cleaning, Kalsomining, Picture Framing, Varnishing, Wood Finishing, Etc.

We Can

Paper a room twelve feet square and nine feet high, side and ceiling, furnishing good quality paper for from two to three dollars.

We want

Your patronage and your orders for work and offer you first-class goods at low prices.

JUDSON E. RICE

156 Pipestone Street.

DAN GREEN...
Still does
...DRAYING
Leave orders at
Owens' Grocery.

A Five Column Eight page Paper for only

1 Cent a Day 25c a Month

THE .EVENING. NEWS

With its large circulation it is the

Best Advertising Medium

in this Section of the State.

Advertising Rates not much higher than that of papers with one-third the circulation.

Belding's Bicycle Bargains...

Spot Cash Dealing Gives You Inside Figures

THE PHOENIX—Strictly High Grade, price this week,	**$70**
THE PATEE—Latest improved '97 Model, " "	**$45**

TANDEMS-- Either combination or double diamond, equipped to suit you....

Patee Tandems, only $75 Phoenix Tandems, only $100

I have taken in exchange towards a Phœnix, one new America, fitted with Mexican Road Tires, price **$65...**

Some wheels for rent and a few second-hand ones for sale CHEAP.

Join the L. A. W. and help get good roads.

H. E. BELDING

114 W. Main Street.

With M. J. Henderson
The Repair Man.

HUTT'S HARDWARE STORE

140 Pipestone Street
Newland Block..

NEW STOCK JUST IN...

Everything in Staple Hardware at Very Low Prices

Quick Sales and Small Profits

SCREEN DOORS... ...LAWN MOWERS

GARDEN HOSE, ETC.

GET MY PRICES BEFORE YOU BUY